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DINES—May 8, 1924, at Mornington, Bray, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dines, Curragh, a son (William Mignault).

DYMOTT—June 16, 1924, at Ridgemount, Hythe, the wife of Captain Kenneth Dymott, M.C., a son.

FREEMAN—June 15, 1924, to Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Freeman, 22 Fitzwilliam square, a daughter.

MILNE—June 13, 1924, at Mavis Bank, Newrath, Waterford, to Olive and Robert Milne, a daughter.

MOHAN—June 12, 1924, at 27 Glengariff Parade, N.C.R., the wife of Thomas Mohan, Dublin, of a daughter.

O'CONOR—June 12, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Conor, Marine House, Wicklow, a daughter (Sheila Florence).

PARKE—June 14, 1924, at Wood Park, Dartry rd., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parke, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

BROWN and CALVERT—June 11, 1924, at Ormond quay Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. F. C. Gibson, B.A., Arthur Marston, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown, 31 Hollybrook rd., Clontarf, to Jean M. McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Calvert, 24 Talbot st., Dublin.

BROWNE and MATHEWS—June 12, 1924, at Zion Church, Rathgar, by the Rev. A. E. Hughes, M.A., and the Rev. Parkinson Hill, M.A., assisted by the Rev. Noble Hamilton, M.A., Douglas Victor Browne, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Browne, 45 Rathgar av., to Sheila Doris Mabel, eldest daughter of the late Charles H. Mathews, Esq., Solicitor, and Mrs. J. R. Morgan, White Lodge, Bushy Park rd., Rathgar.

KINGSTON and HEAVENER—June 10, 1924, at Dunganstown Parish Church, by Rev. J. Quigley, M.A., Rector, Richard V. Kingston, Kilpatrick House, Redeross, second youngest son of the late Richard Kingston, Madame House, Clonakilty, to Elizabeth Jane (Jennie), eldest daughter of Joseph and Mrs. Heavener, Cullen, Wicklow.

McKEEVER and GRAY—June 11, 1924, at Munterconnaught Church, Virginia, by the Rev. William Bradfield, M.A., Rector of the Parish, John Sloan, youngest son of the late Joseph Germain McKeever and Mrs. McKeever, Creevagh, to Eva Mary, younger daughter of William and Mrs. Gray, Ryefield, Virginia.

PAYNE and HUGHES—June 10, 1924, at St. Stephen's Church, Dublin, by Rev. J. W. Crozier, M.A., assisted by Rev. Canon Harvey Stewart, M.A., John Edington, second son of the late George Payne, of this city, to Gertrude Margaret Mary, only daughter of John Robert and Mrs. Hughes, 9 Upper Baggot st., Dublin.

SHAW and COCHRANE—June 11, 1924, at Dundonald Presbyterian Church, by Rev. J. K. L. McKean, M.A., and Rev. J. C. Breakey, B.A., William, second son of the late William Shaw and Mrs. Shaw, The Beeches, Cattogs, Comber, Co. Down, to Florence J., elder daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Cochrane, Dunkeld, Stapleton place, Dundalk.

SHEEDY and MacDONALD—June 12, 1924, at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. Edmond MacDonald, assisted by the Rev. P. Coveney, P.P., Tracton, Co. Cork, John D., son of Thomas Sheedy, Fairview, Cork, to Mollie, daughter of the late William MacDonald, Laharan, Carrigaline, Co. Cork.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 4.

CONRY—June 16, 1924, at a Private Hospital, London, Alphonsus (Alf), youngest son of the late Patrick Conry, Castlerea, Co. Roscommon. R.I.P. Funeral takes place to-day to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Leytonstone, England.

COULTER—June 16, 1924, at his residence, Silverbridge House, Silverbridge, Co. Armagh, Andrew Coulter, aged 69. Funeral to Kane to-day (Wednesday) at 2 o'clock (new time).

FAIRBROTHER—June 16, 1924, suddenly, Colonel William Jones Fairbrother, C.B., aged 67 years. Funeral from Kilcoleman Park, Enniskeane, to-morrow (Thursday) at 12 o'clock for Killowen.

KELLY—June 17, 1924, at her residence, 42 Lower Leeson st., Dublin, Helena, second daughter of the late Joseph Kelly, of Newtown, Co. Galway. R.I.P.

KILMARTIN—June 17, 1924, at "Roselea," Killiney, Co. Dublin, William Kilmartin, junior, eldest son of William Kilmartin, of "Roselea," Killiney, and 3 Nassau street, Dublin. R.I.P.

McCORMACK—June 15, 1924, at 22 Clifton av., West Hartlepool, William McCormack, late H.M. Customs. R.I.P.

STUBBS—June 17, 1924, at 32 Finglas rd., Eileen, eldest daughter of Thomas W. Stubbs. Funeral for Glasnevin Churchyard to-morrow (Thursday), 9 o'clock.

WEBB—June 16, 1924, at his residence, Upmends, Halland, Sussex, after a long illness, William Fisher Webb, LL.B., London, Solicitor, formerly of Dublin. Funeral at Jordans, Bucks, to-morrow (Thursday), 2.30 p.m.

IN MEMORIAM.

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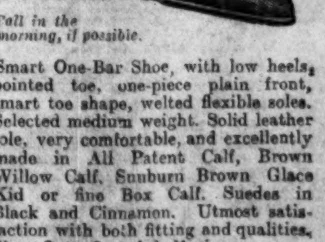
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WOMAN AND HER HOME.

THE SONG OF THE THRUSH.

IN my small suburban garden dwells a thrush. He has been there for years; perhaps not the identical thrush, but he looks the same.

Of ornithology I know nothing, but I am sure that my thrush is a descendant of the first, and that a taste for music and a lovely "voice" runs in the family.

My thrush lives in a rose bush near the wall; it is an untidy over-grown bush. He evidently loves his home, and he possesses what so many humans lack—a grateful heart.

What hymns of praise he sings! What soft, liquid tender notes are in his song—they come to me through the open window, and I listen entranced while he

. . . "Sings each song twice over,
Lest you should think he never could recapture
The first fine careless rapture."

My thrush is not shy. He has little fear of me, and sings a song at sunset when I am sitting in the garden.

His song is one of thankfulness and hope. He does not say, as some other warblers do, "All's right with the world," which irritates us, as we know quite well that it is not so. He says "This world is good, but the next is better."

The song of my thrush touches something in the heart which gives both pleasure and pain, and, like all good music, it is sad as well as beautiful.

Perchance I claim too much for the singer, or, perhaps, he is a special winged messenger from the gods and is like Shelley's lark—"spirit, not bird."

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I have never heard a nightingale. I am aware that Philomel does not love Ireland, but neither in England nor in countries where the Bul-bul (the name by which he is known in the East) lives has he sung for me. I have longed to hear his throbbing love song which has intoxicated poets the world over, but so far have known it only in imagination.

And I have just refused an invitation to hear a real nightingale sing—to sing on a moonlight night, too. It seems strange to be asked to listen to the serenade of a nightingale, a singing which should just come to one unawares in a wood or copse, with the moon looking through the branches of the trees, with no one near.

This was not the setting of the concert to which I was invited, however. It was to be held in a large, but stuffy, room, with many people having grotesque coverings on their ears and sitting under glaring electric light.

Not for me would that nightingale sing his passionate song of love and pain.

There would be other sounds coming by wireless mingled with his lovely notes. Whispers in Cockney accents, the barking of dogs, the sounds of motors passing on the road which bordered the garden where the nightingale sang.

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Can one associate Keats's nightingale with broadcasting?

"Thou wast not born for death, immortal bird."

Nor Milton's

"Sweet bird that shunn'st the noise of folly,
Most musical, most melancholy."

MAY SLADE.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS

IN the old days June was held the most propitious month in the twelve for marriage, a happy result being rendered doubly certain if the ceremony was timed so as to take place at the full moon or when the sun and moon were in conjunction.

Friday is generally considered an unlucky day for the marriage ceremony. It is also an unlucky omen for a wedding to be put off when the day has once been fixed. In Sweden it is believed much harm will ensue if a bridegroom stands at the junction of crossroads or beside a closed gate upon his wedding morn. It is a bad sign if the bride fails to shed tears on the happy day or if she indulges herself by taking a last admiring glance at the looking-glass after her toilet is completed; but she may gratify her vanity without danger if she leaves one hand ungloved until beyond temptation. To meet a dog, cat, lizard or serpent on the way to church; to look back or to mount many steps before gaining the church door are alike ominous of future unhappiness. The weather, too, as many of us know, has a good or bad influence upon affairs: happy is the bride the sun shines on, and, of course, the converse is equally true.

The only omens we know of tending to encourage adventurers in the great lottery of life are the meeting of a wolf, spider, on the way to church, and a cat sneezing within the bride's hearing the day before the wedding. Of course, there are many ways of ensuring good fortune in the matrimonial venture. It is said that by using grey horses in the bridal carriage this purpose can be effected. In some parts of England good luck is supposed to be ensured by a friend making a hen cackle in the house of the wedded pair. Of course, the old custom of throwing shoes after a newly-wedded couple for luck is well known.

Young ladies should abstain from listening to anyone whose surname begins with the same letter as their own—

To change the name and not the letter
Is a change for the worse and not for the better.

The breaking of a wedding ring has long been looked upon as an omen that its wearer will soon be a widow.

Laugh as we may at such superstitious notions as related, nevertheless they are far more prevalent than one would suppose, notwithstanding the educational influences of the new generation. G. G.

OLD WORLD HOMES.

YOUR plain matter of fact person will tell you that a house is a mere structure of brick and mortar, and will leave it at that, but what would the world be like without our dreamers and idealists? To enjoy life to its full extent, we must add a touch of the romantic, the ideal and even the fantastic to everyday objects as we see them.

Logically your matter of fact person is quite correct, but to me—an insignificant dreamer—a house seems to possess a personality of its own, a something which is hard to define in mere words, but yet makes its presence felt in some extraordinary way.

Yes! a house may consist of only four brick walls, but once it is inhabited by those who love every crevice and nook of it, it ceases to be a "house" and becomes that blessed thing "a home," while the very walls seem to assume a protective attitude towards the tenants.

There is much to be said for the smart, newly painted house, where everything is shining and up-to-date, but between it and an old house there is the same distinction that we find between an old and a new violin. The amateur might be attracted by the shining surface of the new instrument, but the connoisseur, the lover of true art, will choose the old, shabby and even scratched violin, for he knows that old age adds to rather than takes away from, the charms of its mellow tones! So it is with our old house. We admit that it may be growing shabby and somewhat old-fashioned, but the mellow tones of the violin are within its walls. It is this very maturity that appeals to our hearts, that seems to weave itself into a fairy cobweb of friendliness and homage which stretches from one wall to another, but remains invisible to human eyes.

Nevertheless, the personality of the house takes a firm hold upon us, for we feel that not only does it belong to us, but that in some strange way we belong to it, and that it stands there under the trees as our symbol of family unity. For these reasons, its shabbiness leaves us serene, for is it not a house of memories? That chair over there may be somewhat worn, but surely that is due to its constant use by our dear old scholar who is no more. It is only another mark on the old violin which takes away not one atom from its charms.

Let the prosaic thinkers of to-day mock at my fantastic ideas, but surely a little idealism takes us out of the rut of the commonplace into which we are so apt to fall. Meanwhile, the old house itself seems to echo my sentiments, as it stands there serenely smiling upon the garden, its windows golden-tinted with the evening sun. V. V. V.

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ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Royal Hospital for Incurables was held at the Hospital yesterday (Tuesday) morning, 17th inst., at 9.30 o'clock, William Perrin, Esq. (Chairman), presiding. Also present—229 Governors.

The proceedings of the last meeting of the Board were read, confirmed, and signed. Apologies were received from a number of Governors unable to be present.

Mrs. Frank J. Egan, Miss Agnes French, John E. Batey, Esq., and Councillor Joseph Farrell, having kindly consented to act, were appointed Visiting Governors for the month.

Payments gratefully acknowledged, and three new Life Governors were unanimously elected as such:—Arthur Hubert Ellison Macartney, Esq. (per Hon. Treasurer), £25; Patrick Tierney, Esq. (per Hon. Treasurer), £21; David G. Baird, M.I.Mech.E. (per J. Hall Cooper, Esq.), £21.

The Chairman made special reference to the heavy overdraft at the bank (£9,005 1/11), and he urgently appealed for funds to aid in reducing this pressing liability, particularly for contributions of £21 to qualify the kind donors as Life Governors, who, as such, have complete control of the management of the institution. The hospital, which is capable of accommodating 249 patients (if funds were forthcoming to support this large number of beds) has claims on all classes of the community, as it admits poor and necessitous incurable patients, without religious distinction, from all parts of Ireland, and supplies them with food, lodging, clothing, medical, and surgical assistance, medicines and all manner of necessaries, without fee or reward from the sufferer.

The election of patients was then proceeded with. Seventeen names appeared on the printed list, and seven candidates were in attendance, nine having been medically certified as unable to be present, and one having withdrawn her application. The following having obtained the highest number of votes were declared duly elected patients, one for immediate admission to the hospital, and the other to remain out on a weekly allowance from the funds, pending a vacancy in the general wards—viz., Beatrice Archer (partial paralysis); May Muriel Tighe (paralysis of the legs).

Owing to want of further accommodation, the Board were reluctantly obliged to reject patients urgently in need of admission, and suffering from consumption, paralysis, heart disease, rheumatic arthritis, etc.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday, 19th day of August, 1924, when an election for male patients will take place.

The Board tender their grateful thanks for the following kind contributions received since last meeting:—£10 10/-—A. McFarland, Esq. (Patron) (per Hon. Treasurer). £5 5/-—Lady Eva FitzGerald (per Chairman). £5—E. J. Beaumont Nesbitt, Esq., H.M.L., O.B.E. £3 3/-—Miss E. Irvine. £3—"J. H. L." £2 2/-—Miss Edith F. Montgomery (Life Governor). £2—Miss Hickie (per Mrs. Davys). £1 1/- each—Mrs. Nadin (Life Governor), Messrs. McLaughlin and Harvey, Ltd.; Mrs. Thomas Carton (Life Governor). £1 each—Messrs. E. D. McCrea and Sons, Ltd.; Michael McSharry, Esq.; "A Friend" (per Lady Superintendent), B. Lissing, Esq. (per Hon. Treasurer). Smaller sums—15/6.

Further contributions are solicited to reduce the Board's indebtedness to the bank (£9,005 1/11), and will be gratefully received by William Perrin, Esq. (Chairman), Rocklands, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin; Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C. (Vice-Chairman), 13 Upper Mount street, Dublin; Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P. (Hon. Treasurer), The Haven, Palmerston Gardens, Rathmines, or by the Registrar at the hospital.

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A COUNTY DUBLIN HOLDING.

TENANT'S APPEAL DISMISSED.

In the Supreme Court, before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice O'Connor and Mr. Justice FitzGibbon, an appeal by the tenant in the Land Commission case of St. Lawrence, landlord; McKenna, tenant, came on for hearing from a decision of Mr. Justice Wylie, dated 1st April last, declaring that the tenant's holding at Raheny, County Dublin, was excluded from the provisions of the Irish Land Act of 1923 on the ground that it was residential. It was now sought to have that decision set aside and an order substituted for it declaring that the holding was one to which the Land Act of 1923 applied.

Mr. McCann, K.C., and Mr. H. Hamilton (instructed by Messrs. Miley and Miley) appeared for the tenant and appellant; and Mr. Jellett, K.C., and Mr. MacRory (instructed by Messrs. Reeves and Sons) for the landlord and respondent.

The Court held that the question at issue was purely one of fact and dismissed the appeal, with costs.

COUNSEL'S APPLICATION.

RE-ADMITTED AS SOLICITOR.

Before the Chief Justice, Mr. W. H. Carson (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons) applied on behalf of Mr. Henry MacDermot to have Mr. MacDermot re-admitted as a solicitor. Counsel moved on the affidavit of his client, which stated that he was admitted a solicitor in the High Court of Justice in Ireland in 1898. He was called to the Bar in 1904 and practised as counsel until, at his own request, he was debarred in 1924.

The Chief Justice granted the application.

THE DAIL FUNDS.

AN APPLICATION REFUSED.

In the Chancery Division, before Mr. Justice Murnaghan, in the case of Fogarty v. O'Donoghue, relating to what have been described as the Dail Funds or the Republican Funds, an application was made on behalf of Mr. Stephen O'Mara, one of the defendants, for an order directing the plaintiffs, the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty and others, to make further and better discovery of documents in the action between Most Rev. Michael Fogarty, Richard Mulcahy, Richard Hayes, Liam T. MacCosgair and John Collins, plaintiffs, and Daithe O'Donoghue, Eamonn de Valera and Stephen O'Mara, defendants.

Mr. Overend, K.C., who, with Mr. Marnan (instructed by Mr. E. W. Proud), appeared for Mr. O'Mara, in making the application, referred to the nature of the funds, amounting to £10,000, which it was stated had been handed by the late Mr. Michael Collins—now represented by Mr. John Collins—to Mr. Stephen O'Mara, and described how, by resolutions passed at the meetings of the first and second Dail Eireann, the funds in question had been entrusted to the trustees.

The plaintiffs, Dr. Fogarty, General Mulcahy and Richard Hayes, claimed to be the trustees appointed by a resolution of 13th September, 1922. President Cosgrave had been joined as a plaintiff in his capacity of Minister of Finance at the period when the proceedings were commenced; Mr. John Collins had been joined as personal representative of Mr. Michael Collins; O'Mara; and he only appeared for Mr. O'Mara and Mr. Ernest Blythe, as the present Minister of Finance. The three defendants were Daithe O'Donoghue, Mr. de Valera and Stephen O'Mara; and he only appeared for Mr. O'Mara. He (Mr. Overend), however, did not at all admit that the plaintiffs were the present trustees of the funds. An order for discovery had been made, but they did not consider the discovery sufficient.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., who, with Mr. Charles Bewley (instructed by Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.), appeared for the plaintiffs, submitted that this application was based on a misconception of the principle which governed the question of the sufficiency of the affidavit of documents, which was that the person who made the affidavit of documents was the sole judge of the relevancy of the documents. What was wanted here, apparently, was that the plaintiffs should give the defendants discovery of original documents, which they had not got.

Mr. Justice Murnaghan refused the application, with costs.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

CARLOW CASE TRANSFERRED TO DUBLIN.

Before Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy, Mr. Costello (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) applied in the case of James Bennett and Maurice Kelly, who were committed for trial at the Carlow Quarter Sessions, to change the venue to the County of the City of Dublin. Counsel moved on the fiat of the Attorney-General, which set out that a more fair and impartial trial to the prisoners could be held in Dublin.

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy granted the application.

SHIPOWNER'S CLAIM.

A COLLISION AT WEXFORD.

In the Admiralty Division, before Mr. Justice Meredith, the case of Michael Donovan v. City of Cork Steam Packet Company, Ltd., came on for hearing. It was a claim by the plaintiff, a shipowner, of Custom House quay, Wexford, for damages arising out of a collision between his barge Unibag and the defendants' steamship Blarney at Wexford on the 9th March, 1923, caused, as alleged, by the negligence of the defendants, their servants or agents. The plaintiff claimed £686 5s. damages.

The defendants denied that the steamship Blarney collided with the barge, as alleged, or at all, and that there was negligence on their part.

Mr. Brown, K.C., and Mr. Vaughan Wilson (instructed by Messrs. D. and T. Fitzgerald) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Lardner, K.C., and Mr. Fergus O'Connor (instructed by Messrs. M. J. O'Connor and Co.) for the defendants.

The case had not concluded when the Court rose.

BELFAST REFUGEE'S CLAIM.

AN APPEAL DISMISSED.

Before Mr. Justice Sullivan, the case was heard, in which Miss Barbara McWhirter, York street, Belfast, plaintiff, appealed against the decision of the Recorder of Dublin in dismissing her claim against Peter McMahon, a sergeant in the Dublin Metropolitan Police, and Margaret McMahon, his wife, of 15 Lennox street, Dublin, for £35 6s., value of clothing which she alleged was taken by the defendants when left in their charge.

Mr. Kenneth Dockrell (instructed by Mr. R. H. Commins), who appeared for the appellant, said that Miss McWhirter was a Belfast refugee, who came to Dublin in December, 1921. She took lodgings with Mrs. McMahon, sharing a room with another lady. She stayed there until the following June, when she left to live in a small cottage near Rathfarnham, leaving behind a trunk and suit case, containing clothes. Miss McWhirter returned in August on a visit to Mrs. McMahon, and Mrs. McMahon then assured her that everything in the trunk and case were the same as she left them. Eventually, when she came back in the following October and unlocked her trunk she found it empty, and also the suit case.

The plaintiff was examined, and alleged that the defendants expressly agreed to take care of her property while she was away.

The defendant, Peter McMahon, conducted his own defence, which was a flat denial of having received the property that was alleged to have been taken, and a denial that there was any agreement to take care of the plaintiff's property.

Mr. Justice Sullivan said that he was not satisfied from the evidence that Mrs. McMahon ever gave the undertaking that the plaintiff alleged she gave. Even if she did, he was not satisfied that reasonable care was not taken of the plaintiff's suit case and trunk. He affirmed the Recorder's decision, and dismissed the appeal.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, June 18, 1924.

CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (the Supreme Court of Justice).—At 11 o'clock—Workmen's Compensation Act—Preston (applicant), Delaney (respt.). Acting County Court Judge of Tipperary.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court of Justice).—Priomh-Bhreitheamh (Chief Justice. In Lunacy. Before the Examiner at 11.30—Vouch account, O. K. White; do., Beauchamp and Orr; do., Montgomery and Chaytor.

COURT NO. 1.—Cases Fixed for Hearing:—For Friday, 20th June—Adjourned Summons—Companies Acts and J. H. Hunter and Co. (in re Cuthbertson). For Wednesday, 25th June—Action—Kirwan v. Kirwan. For Thursday, 26th June—Action—O'Callaghan v. O'Sullivan. For Wednesday, 2nd July—Action—Dobson v. Gilroy. For Wednesday, 9th July—Action—Lawlor v. Kelly. For Friday, 11th July—Action—Wigg v. Attorney-General. For Wednesday, 16th July—Action—Hackett v. Cavanagh.

COURT NO. 2.—Cases Fixed for Hearing:—For Friday, 20th June, 1924:—Action—Comerford v. Kelly. For Wednesday, 25th June—Action—Punch v. M'Namara. For Thursday, 26th June—Action—Hewson v. Mulcair. For Wednesday, 2nd July—Action—Arnott v. Arnott. For Wednesday, 9th July—Action—City of Dublin S.P. Co. v. D. and S.E. Railway Co. For Thursday, 10th July—Adjourned into Court—Laffan v. Ryan. For Friday, 11th July—Action—Rennison v. Clarke. For Wednesday, 16th July—Action—Long v. Hanna. For Wednesday, 23rd July—Action—Osborne v. M'Evoy. For Thursday, 24th July—Action—Buckley v. Morrissey. For Friday, 25th July—Action—Leden v. Attorney-General. For Wednesday, 30th July—Action—Domville v. Alister.

IN COURT 5 at 11 o'clock—Exparte Motions. Summons—National Bank v. Doran. On Notice—Corrigan v. Marron; Peoples v. Cannon; Gilbey v. Tarrant.

TRINITY SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—Notice to Jurors—All Jurors, County and City, Special and Common, summoned to the Trinity Sittings for Trials by Jury on this (Wednesday) morning, are required to attend at 11 o'clock at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle—the Special Jurors in Court No. 4 and the Common Jurors in Court No. 5—where the respective panels will be called over, and all jurors not answering their names when called will be fined, and will after the termination of the sittings be summoned again as jurors to whatever court may first require their attendance. In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock—City Special—Ryan v. Hayes (assault); Connolly v. the Governor and Company Bank of Ireland (breach of agreement). In Court No. 5, at 11 o'clock. City Common—O'Connor v. O'Reilly and another (Probate); M'Sweeney v. M'Sweeney (annuity); Coyle v. Lisaney (work done). For Thursday, 19th June:—City Common—Lee v. Donnelly (contract); Hegarty v. Murnane (trespass); Toppin v. Kennedy (money due). For Friday, 20th June:—Non-Juries—Vivian and others v. Donnelly (money due); Nolan v. O'Hara (wages due); "Morgan's (Wexford), Ltd., v. Kehoe (goods sold); Ebrill and another v. Lynch (money due); Leahy v. Kelly (services rendered). For Monday, 23rd June:—City Special—The Belfast Bank Co., Ltd., v. M'Gahan and others (guarantee); Keamey, Junr., v. Keamey (Probate); City Common—Boyle v. Carolan (seduction); Field v. Field and a C.O. (work done); O'Keeffe v. Quirke (Probate).

ADMIRALTY.—Before Mr. Justice Meredith. In Court No. 2, at 11 o'clock—Exparte Motions. At Hearing—Michael Donovan v. City of Cork Steam Packet Co., Ltd.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING-UP) COMMISSION.—Before the Judicial Commissioners. At Court No. 1, Dail Court Commission Buildings, Dublin Castle, at 10.30 o'clock—Exparte Applications. To be Mentioned—Golding v. Stretch; Roe v. Boland; Steele v. Smyth; Higgins v. Flood; Byrne v. Feeney; Sutton v. Doran; Murray v. O'Toole. Motions—Power v. Power; Sullivan v. G.S. and W. Rly. Appeal against Registration—Conway and ors. v. Keely. Appeals. For Hearing—Sullivan v. G.S. and W. Rly.; Cunningham v. Dowd.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—M'Andrew, vch. ec., C. J. Rutherford; Tuohy, do., Little and Cullen; arrangt., prove debts, R. H. Commins; do., do., A. Cox and Co.; Rattigan, do., J. J. Sheil; arrangt., do., Lynch and Deering; Friery, do., E. F. Collins and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., J. P. Creswell; do., do., Quirke and Co.; Deegan, settle title and conditions of sale, E. F. Collins and Son; arrangt., acct. comp., do., do., do. Chambers No. 1 (Room 38)—Sheedy v. Walsh; Healy v. Healy, 1922-186; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Boggan; Hagan v. M'Guiggan; Nesbitt v. M'Carthy; Cooke v. Cooke; Cooper v. Boyd. Room 62, at 11.30 o'clock—Rogers v. Howard, vch. account. At 2.30 o'clock—Northern Banking Co. v. M'Mahon, vch. account. Chambers No. 2 (Room 39), at 11 o'clock—S. A. Quan Smith, decd., Smith v. Grant; Kilmihill Co-Op. Agric. Society, Ltd.; A. G. Campbell and Sons, Ltd.; Lowry v. Williams; T. Flynn, decd., Flynn v. Flynn; S. Morris, decd., Brennan v. Murphy; Lyons v. Corbett; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. De Courcy; P. Collins, decd., Collins v. Collins; E. M. Crawford, decd., Crowley v. Booth; Kilreel Co-Op. Agric. Society, Ltd.; M. A. Bonnar, decd., Bonnar v. Bonnar; Beatty v. Gaul; National Bank, Ltd., v. Collins. Room 59, at 12 o'clock—P. Gordon, decd., Gordon v. Gordon; Motor Hirage and Sales Co., Ltd.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock—Exparte Taxations—A person of unsound mind (G.S.), Fryar and Gordon; a person of unsound mind (G.S.), Fryar and Gordon; Butler v. M'Farlane, E. M'Fadden and Co.; Butler v. M'Farlane, E. M'Fadden and Co.; Ledwich v. Atwool, D. and T. Fitzgerald; Kildare Co. Council to Osborne, R. A. Osborne; Egan, decd., Nooney and Dowdall. Master Deering, at 11 o'clock—Cullen, minors (G.S.), Miley and Miley; O'Flaherty, minors, A. Nolan; O'Gorman Bros. v. Mandeville, T. F. O'Brien. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—Pim v. Germaine, A. Cox and Co.; Pim v. Germaine, G. Tench; Pim v. Germaine, G. Tench; Ryan v. Atty.-General, T. V. Davy; Ryan v. Atty.-General, J. O'Connor; O'Connor v. Hurley, Gore and Grimes; Stapleton and Vendor and Purchaser Act, L. J. Ryan and Co.; Ryan v. Atty.-General, L. J. Ryan and Co.; Murphy to White, T. O'K. White and Son; O'Neill v. Whitesmith, T. Maguire. Land Judge's Case. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock—Earl of Roden. Before Master Jackson, K.C. For Monday, 23rd June, at 12 o'clock—Co. Council of Galway v. Hickey and ors. For Friday, 27th June, at 12 o'clock—Cullen v. Fortune.

LAND REGISTRY.—Before the Registrar, at Chancery street, Dublin, at 12 o'clock—Daniel Donohoe, registered owner, Folio 5571, Co. Tipperary—Appln. of F. R. Maloney, objection by Daniel Donohoe.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11 o'clock—O'Leary estate (Herman's rent). Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—William Thomas Dickson (E.C. 6026), discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 2.30 o'clock—C. L. Fitzgerald (E.C. 8260), discharge rulings and settle schedule. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—G. S. Mansfield (E.C. 7333). Before Mr. Franks, at 3 o'clock—Rodgers estate. Before Mr. Longfield, at 11 o'clock—P. J. Edwards and anor. (E.C. 10321), discharge rulings and settle schedule. Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—C. H. S. Hall Dare and anor. (E.C. 8681), vch. Before Mr. Brett, at 11 o'clock—Colonel Courtney (E.C. 8424), vch.

CIRCUIT JUDGE.—At Court House, Green street, at 11 o'clock. Swords List—Licensing Applications, Ejectments, Civil Bills. Dun Laoghaire List—Civil Bills, Ejectments, Applications.

Jumping into the River Trent at Dunham (Nottingham) yesterday to rescue his three and a half year old son, Frank Sanson, of Newton, was drowned, as well as his child.

DUBLIN'S WORST EYESORE.

SACKVILLE STREET RUINS UNTOUCHED.

CAUSES OF DELAY.

Within a few weeks of the expected arrival in Dublin of thousands of visitors from overseas, no move is being made to clear the ruins in Sackville street. This eyesore must stand there, a sight unmatched in any other capital city.

A Special Commissioner of the *Irish Times* learned on the highest authority that if all the owners of the property start work at once and together on the ruins, the clearing up will last well into the autumn. Furthermore, under the most favourable circumstances, and with the best will of all concerned, there cannot be a new building,—even the smallest of them—completed in the Sackville street area within a year from now. That disposes of a lot of the foolish talk about the new and glorious Sackville street that was to arise mushroom-like in the course of a summer night.

Nothing definite is being done to restore the street. Within a week or so the Dublin Reconstruction Bill will become an Act, giving the municipal authority of the city—now the Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin—power to secure the amenities in the rebuilding, and to insist on the carrying out of long-needed street improvements in the locality. It has been said that the owners of the destroyed premises were waiting for this measure before starting to replace the buildings for which they have been granted certain compensation, amounting in one case to £65,000. Now that the Act has arrived, there is no chance of starting because the sites are still uncleared.

Only one of the sites is ready for immediate building operations; the others are just as the destruction left them in July, 1922. Long ago the well-known seeds firm of Sir James W. Mackey cleared out the ruins of their premises, and they are ready and anxious to begin the moment that the City Architect approves of their plans for replacing their business headquarters, which were standing there for nearly a century. From that all the way down to Cathedral street no move has been made.

SITES FOR SALE.

The fact is that few of the owners have any desire to rebuild, and nearly all are out to sell their interests. Two of the sites are publicly offered for sale; another, it is stated, has been purchased by a syndicate which has been formed to run a big hotel, and for several others purchase negotiations are in progress. The delays that generally accompany negotiations of the kind are sufficient, without anything else, to explain why the street remains as it is. The present owners will not go to the expense of clearing up in preparation for building if they can pass the task on to their successors in title. The Tramway Company's site is to be taken over by the Corporation for the widening of Cathedral street, and that of the Catholic Truth Society, at the other end of the block, is also to be acquired by the Commissioners in connection with the new thoroughfare from Gloucester street. The greater part of the Catholic Truth Society's site will, however, be built on, and the premises will be let by the Commissioners.

The municipal authority of the city has no power to undertake the clearing of the sites; neither has the Government. Some months ago a conference, with a view to having something done, was called by the Ministry for Local Government. The Town Clerk submitted a general plan for dealing with the area as a whole, the cost to come out of the compensation awards, and this was approved by all the owners. After a while this plan was handed over to the Board of Works, and nothing came of it, principally, our representative was informed, because of the desire of the owners to sell their interests. This desire is not born of a spirit of speculation, but most of the owners believe that to carry out the finely conceived scheme of the City Architect they will have to spend much more than the grants made by Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy, than whom, by the way, no man in Dublin has done more to get Sackville street rebuilt quickly. They cannot, however, expect to get new lamps for old.

There is at present no power to compel an owner to clear the site, or to rebuild for the next two years. In the Reconstruction Bill there is a section which empowers the Corporation to take possession of and sell by auction any site that continues to be left derelict. That power cannot, however, be exercised until the expiration of two years, from the passing of the Act. It is possible, if the bill is not amended, for the whole area or any part of it to remain as it is until the summer of 1926.

NEW STREETS.

With the passing of the Reconstruction Bill the Commissioners will, it is expected, proceed immediately to continue Gloucester street into Upper Sackville street. This will provide a splendid thoroughfare from the centre of the city to the sea, and provide a much-needed tramway route from the Broadstone to the North Wall. Under the bill the Commissioners will widen Cathedral street to align on the North side with the Pro-Cathedral railings. They will have no power, unfortunately, to deal with the short, narrow stretch that is such a drawback to Earl street.

Gloucester street is one of the many fine, roomy thoroughfares constructed by the Dublin Wide Streets Commissioners, who, by the beneficent aid of Grattan's Parliament, widened Lower Sackville street, the North Circular road, and other streets in the north-east part of the city. The Act of Union put an end to their activities before they had carried Gloucester street into Sackville street.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Royal Hunt Cup—Finger Print, 9 a.m. yesterday.

Gold Cup—Tranquil, at 10 p.m., Monday; Santorb, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Gold Vase—Shippon, at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Ascot engagements—Epinard and Town Guard, at 10 p.m. Monday.

Bessborough Stakes—East Tor.

Queen Mary Stakes—England's Match, No You Don't, Sinister, Charlemont, Jade.

Coventry Stakes—Princeps, Kentish Glade.

Hardwicke Stakes—Demi Volt, D'Orsay.

Coronation Stakes—Comedy Star, Finger Print, Overture.

Prince of Wales's Stakes—Alimony, Arausio.

St. James's Palace Stakes—Arausio.

Chesham Stakes—Jade, Purple Cloud, Charlemont.

Rous Memorial Stakes—D'Orsay.

Granville Stakes—Finger Print.

All-Aged Stakes—Polizei.

Ascot Derby Stakes—Finger Print.

Windsor Castle Stakes—No You Don't, Charlemont.

Wokingham Stakes—King of Clubs.

Alexandra Stakes—D'Orsay.

Ascot engagements—Princess Zirla colt (2 yrs.), Pampero, Traba, Chambasco, Creditable, Miss Matty colt (2 yrs.), Balkis, Dragon Aile, Monsieur de Civrac, Hackdaile, The Red Knight.

BEVERLEY MEETING.

Beverley Handicap—Vaddy, Geisha Girl.

Maiden Handicap—Cherry Bridge, Holy Terror, Karasu.

Bishop Burton Stakes—Roquette, Iodine.

Welton Plate and Etton Handicap—Bold Buck.

Watt Memorial Plate—Siphante.

Brantingham Handicap—Mermaid.

Beverley engagements—Legend, Russian Sable, End o' Tale, Roi du Ciel, Silver Island, Hasty Love, Wayward filly (2 yrs.).

ATHLETICS.

LONDON TEAM FOR TAILTEANN GAMES TRIAL.

The following have been chosen by the London and South of England District Council of the Tailteann Games, to be held in Dublin in August, to represent the area in the final trial on Saturday, June 28, at Liverpool:—

100 Metres.—D. Crowley, P. A. G. Gummer. Reserve—P. J. Brady.

200 Metres.—D. Crowley, P. A. G. Gummer. Reserve—P. J. Brady.

400 Metres.—L. R. Miller, P. J. Brady.

800 Metres.—C. A. Morgan, L. R. Miller, F. J. Bundy.

1,500 Metres.—L. R. Miller, C. A. Morgan, A. O. Elliott.

110 Metres Hurdles.—P. J. Brady, M. Murphy. Reserve—D. J. Leahy.

400 Metres Hurdles.—P. J. Brady, M. Murphy. Reserve—D. J. Leahy.

3,800 Metres, Flat.—G. O'Sullivan, J. Anderson, C. A. Morgan, A. J. Birch, J. A. Hanrahan, A. O. Elliott.

3,300 Metres, Cross-Country.—G. O'Sullivan, J. Anderson, C. A. Morgan, A. J. Birch, J. A. Hanrahan, A. O. Elliott.

1,600 Metres, Relay.—P. J. Brady, L. R. Miller, A. O. Elliott, F. J. Bundy, C. A. Morgan, M. Murphy, D. J. Leahy.

Marathon.—M. J. Morgan and Another.

The selection of representatives in the field events was deferred until after the Amateur Athletic Association's Championships next Friday and Saturday.

M. Litvinoff and M. Rakovsky, head of the Soviet delegation, were entertained to lunch at the House of Commons yesterday.

GOLF.

THE CLOSE CHAMPIONSHIP.

DEFEAT OF D. W. SMYTH.

FINE PLAY BY DUBLIN GOLFERS.

From Our Special Correspondent.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday Night.

We have now reached a most interesting phase in the strugle for the Close Championship, inasmuch as a battle royal between North and South on Thursday is assured. Whether the representatives of two Dublin clubs will figure in the final will depend on how D. Soulby acquits himself to-morrow; for although he has not played at Portmarnock, or any other Dublin club, during the last two years, he entered for the event from Portmarnock. All four in the top half are Southern clubmen, and at the bottom are the two brothers McConnell and Nicholson, with the Englishman, Soulby, sandwiched between. Again, at the top are two club-mates in Dr. MacCormack and Major-General Dalton, who meet to-morrow morning. A similar state of affairs obtains at the bottom, for the O'Connells represent Royal Portrush, and will fight it out in the morning.

It was the best day we have had so far in every respect, for the weather was gloriously fine, and there was ever so much more "go" associated with the day's golf. There was, indeed, quite a lot of excellent golf played, but the best of it certainly was produced by the men at the top. The surprise of the morning round was the elimination of E. F. Spiller by that seasoned and accomplished match-fighter, Joseph Gorry, of Naas, who beat his much-fancied rival at the seventeenth. With E. M. Munn gone, Spiller was regarded as the hope of the North, but he did not play championship golf to-day, nor was he quite steady enough for the Cill-dara man, who would have been in the comfortable position of 2 up at the turn had he holed a two-yarder for a half at the ninth. He won the tenth, and thereafter he played the better golf. Spiller got one back at the next hole, but that and the thirteenth were his only successes on the way back, whereas Gorry won the fifteenth in a good 3, and the seventeenth in 4 to 5, the remainder being halved.

The holder, Dr. MacCormack, had what was tantamount to a walk over; for W. Burtside made a poor show against the Southerner, who, although taking things easy, turned 6 up, and though he was 7 up, with 8 to play, he was content to prolong the affair to the fifteenth. W. Dwyer, of Cork, was opposed to Major-General Dalton, one of the successful Junior Cup team, of Hermitage. The golf outward was very patchy, but Dalton played well enough to go into a lead of 3 at the turn. Homeward it was a very fine match, neither player making a serious mistake; but Dalton held on to his lead, and the match ended at the seventeenth.

L. E. Werner, who was runner-up last year at Milltown, went badly off his putting in his match with F. P. McConnell, Dr. MacCormack's conqueror in the Irish Open here last year. For a schoolboy, McConnell is a most promising golfer. Two down at the fourth, the youngster was shaping badly, but he squared at the sixth, and then came a series of reverses for the Trinity man, who lost the seventh, eighth and ninth. On the homeward journey Werner halved only two holes, the tenth and eleventh, and he suffered defeat by 4 and 3. His work on the greens was very faulty; for on five he registered three putts, and he was also stymied at the fifth.

E. F. Kilduff had another decisive win, this time over S. H. McCarthy, of Cork, who was 2 down at the ninth, and went further into arrears by badly foozling his drive to the tenth. The Milltown golfer then put together a string of threes in quite his best style to take a lead of 5 holes at the thirteenth, and McCarthy's troubles came to an end at the next hole. Kilduff is playing as good golf as any of the others left in, with probably the exception of the title holder and D. E. Soulby, the latter of whom gave one of his most finished displays this morning. He was paired with J. F. Stevenson of Malone, who was two holes to the bad at the ninth, his rival having put up threes against him at the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth. Altogether Soulby had seven threes to the fifteenth, where he beat his man.

F. E. Davies was troubled by finding several bad lies through the fairways in his match with R. W. Ward, who beat him on the home green. It was one of the best matches of the round, for they turned all square, and thereafter there was never more than a hole between them. Ward was 1 up with 3 to go, but Davies squared at the sixteenth in 3. He, however, was again down at the seventeenth through being bunkered off his second, and a half at the home hole gave the Dun Laoghaire man a hard-fought match. Weak putting more than anything else brought about the heavy defeat of the local player, H. G. Ellis, by C. H. West. He broke down very badly on the fourteenth green, taking as many as four putts, and losing his lead, and the Delgany man, finishing splendidly in 4, 3, 4, pulled off the match by 3 and 1.

The third round was remarkable for two things—viz., the defeat of Wilson Smyth, a plus 2 man and the winner of the Irish Open three years ago, by Major-General Dalton, and the extent of a moiety of the results. Dalton, who plays on a 6 handicap at Hermitage, was right on the top of his game, and went out in an approximate 38 for a lead of 2, his figures being fours except at the first and second, where he had fives. He at once went ahead, winning the first two holes, and had increased it to three at the fourth. At no period did Smyth look like getting on equal terms, for he was regularly missing putts of a yard. Kilduff was in a merciless mood in his match with Ward, winning hole after hole. He turned 7 up and won by the prodigious margin of 9 and 7, Ward's hard match in the morning obviously telling on him.

It was at the same hole that Gorry applied the closure on A. Airling, and MacCormack likewise had a one-sided victory; but young McConnell and Barker fought it out stubbornly to the home green, where the latter was beaten. It was a fine performance on the part of the winner, who was all square at the turn, but was down with 4 to play. West was weak on the greens, and by his defeat the last of the Dubliners in the bottom half of the draw disappeared. Soulby maintained his fine form against Simcox. Yesterday's results:—

The following have qualified for the semi-final round:—J. E. Dalton (Hermitage), Dr. J. D. MacCormack (Hermitage), holder; J. Gorry (Kildare), E. F. Kilduff (Co. Louth), D. E. B. Soulby (Portmarnock), J. C. Nicholson (Bangor), F. McConnell (Royal Portrush), R. McConnell (Royal Portrush).

NORTHERN PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

GADD BREAKS WILMSLOW RECORD.

Negative features in the Northern Professional Championship opening on the Wilmslow course, Cheshire, yesterday were the non-appearance of the American entrants, who had been unable to reach England until this afternoon, and also that of Jim Barnes the New York professional, who has been here for a considerable number of days. However, the day was not devoid of incident by a long way, as George Gadd, the former Welsh champion, created a new record of 69 strokes for the course.

The championship, which was won last year by Gene Sarazen, is being played for this year under altered conditions. One round was played yesterday, and 36 holes will be played to-day. Then all competitors, 22 or more strokes behind the leader, will drop out, and the remainder will play one round on Thursday.

The leading scores were:—

69—George Gadd (Roehampton).

70—F. Ball (Langley Park).

72—P. Allis (Wanstead), and A. E. Hallam (Chorlton).

73—H. A. Gaudin (Royal Jersey), G. R. Buckle (Edgbaston), J. Coppack (Alsager), F. Jarman (Stockport), J. Ockenden (Raynes Park) W. J. Leaver (Worsley), and H. Crapper (Harrogate).

74—J. MacKenzie (Ilkley), J. Bond (Hillside), C. W. Easterbrooke (Oldham), W. H. Davies (Prenton), J. Horne (Holyhead) and L. Holland (Northampton).

75—H. Large (St. Helen's), S. Ball (Heaton Park) W. Robertson (West Lancs), Fred Leach (Northwood), W. Large (Fulwood), G. Good (Romiley), W. Bee (Leasowe), and A. C. Millett (Leicester).

76—P. H. Rodgers (Woolton), H. E. Pearce (Wearside), H. Roberts (Stoke Poges), H. Baker (Huddersfield), W. H. Ball (Lancaster), T. G. Renouf (Manchester), R. D. Roberts (Sweden) T. Tramp (Shirley Park), O. Sanderson (Bradford), A. G. Havers (Coombe Hill), and D. C. Jones (Old Manchester).

77—T. Simpson (Hesketh), A. J. Young (Sonning), Bert Seymour (West Essex), E. Bourne (Clairmont), J. Rimmer (Bidston), E. Williamson (Garforth), F. E. Dennis (Daveyhulme), T. Barber (Alderley Edge), W. P. Darbyshire (Hazelgrove), W. Button (Woodsome Hall), W. Good (Halifax), and T. Walton (Lytham and St. Anne's).

78—A. L. Taylor (Beverley), H. Pierpoint (Prestbury), A. F. Hockey (Enfield), A. Isherwood (Warrington), R. D. Vickers (Heswall), F. H. Frostick (St. George's Hill), T. J. Brace (Ringway), C. Sayner (Doncaster), R. J. Shoesmith (Timperley), H. A. Berry (Great Orme), J. M. Stuart (Brough), D. M. Hastings (Halifax), W. L. Ireland (Birstall), G. H. Chalk (Withington), H. H. Allen (Fulford), and C. McIlvenny (Sudbury).

79—J. Fox (Kidderminster), J. B. Holt (Bowdon), D. A. Curtis (Bournemouth), E. T. Large (Knighley), F. Taggart (Wilmslow), C. H. Waits (Bramshaw Manor), J. Dodd (Leek), A. Yates (Oakdale), W. Little (unattached) and B. Roberts (Astbury).

80—W. B. Brown (Broxbourne), H. Marsh (Denton), G. Chalk (Stand), E. Warburton (Northenden), T. W. Jones (Maesdu), C. F. White (Birhill), J. A. Neild (Fairfield), J. Scarth (Bolton), and P. J. Lockyer (Liphook).

81—E. Barnes (Gatley), C. S. Morin (Rhos-on-Sea), J. Arundel (Delamere), R. Leather (Gatley), H. C. Kinch (Woodcote Park), A. Wells (Wembley), E. P. Hanton (Kingsthorpe), J. E. Taggart (Wilmslow), and A. Ashcroft (Houldsworth).

PROFESSIONALS' MONTHLY COMPETITION.

(SOUTHERN BRANCH).

The monthly competition for Sir Stanley Cochrane's prizes will be played for at Milltown on Tuesday, 24th June. Entries close on Friday, 20th inst.

LADIES' MIDLAND TROPHY.

CURRAGH v. BIRR.

Played at the Curragh. Results:—

Curragh.		Birr.	
Miss Tynte	1	Mrs. A. Sweeney	0
Mrs. Minch	0	Miss Marchale	1
Mrs. Mitchell	1	Miss Rea	0
Miss Freeman	1	Mrs. Whitfield	0
Miss "Edwardes"	0	Mrs. Christie	1
Mrs. O'Shaughnessy	1	Mrs. Davis	0
Miss Tynte and Mrs. Minch	1	Mrs. A. Sweeney and Miss Marchale	0
Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Freeman	1	Mrs. Rea and Mrs. Whitfield	0
Miss "Edwardes" and Mrs. O'Shaughnessy	0	Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Davis	1
Total	6	Total	3

LAHINCH WHITSUNTIDE MEETING.

The Lahinch Golf Club's Whitsuntide meeting has beaten all previous records in point of members, and the steadily-increasing popularity of the splendid course is very noticeable, while Lahinch's prestige as a golfing centre is daily becoming more generally recognised. It was most pleasing to see many of the senior and some of the foundation members of the club among those at the meeting, including Fitzjames Murphy, the South of Ireland Champion; Major R. de R. Rose, R. H. R. Willington, Commander Carvill, W. J. Carbery, Noble B. Johnson, and F. H. Dale, this year's captain. The Committee of the club have decided to hold the South of Ireland Championship Meeting this year in the week commencing the 15th September—that is, the week immediately following the Irish Championship Meeting, to be held at Dollymount.

The following are the results of some of the competitions:—

LADIES' GOLD MEDAL COMPETITION.

Miss Perry (24), 80; Miss Glynn (28), 87; Mrs. T. C. Ross (14), 94; Mrs. N. B. Johnson (19), 96.

OPEN STROKE COMPETITION (100 Entries).

Class "A," handicaps 1 to 10 (inclusive).—W. J. O'Callaghan (10), 79; Major C. Mitchell (6), 80; J. F. Costelloe (10), 80; T. C. Ross (3), 82; F. B. Stradling (5), 82; P. E. Bryant (10), 82; W. Dwyer (scr.), 83; R. J. Arnott (4), 83; Rev. M. Madden (10), 83; T. B. Blayney (8), 84; John Ronan (8), 86. Best gross—W. Dwyer, 83.

Class "B," handicaps 11 to 18 (maximum allowed).—Dr. D. J. MacClancy (18), 72; D. M. Sexton (13), 74; Dr. J. Garahy (15), 76; W. T. Cross (11), 77; P. J. Murnane (14), 78; Dr. C. McDonnell (18), 79; D. J. Corboy (18), 79; L. Byrne (14), 80; E. Stevenson (14), 80; F. M. Casey (16), 80; Canon O'Kennedy (18), 81; Noble B. Johnson (12), 82; J. J. McCarthy (16), 82; Dr. C. O'Malley (18), 82. Best net, Dr. D. J. MacClancy, 72; second best net, D. M. Sexton, 74; third best net, Dr. J. Garahy, 76.

OPEN BOGEY COMPETITION (94 Entries).

Class "A," handicaps 1 to 10 (inclusive).—T. B. Blayney (8), 3 up; R. J. Arnott (4), 1 up; P. E. Bryant (10), 1 up; J. F. Costelloe (10), all square; M. Kennedy (5), 1 down; W. Dwyer (scr.), 2 down; W. J. Carbery (5), 2 down; Rex. Murphy (9), 2 down; F. B. Stradling (5), 3 down.

Class "B," handicaps 11 to 18 (limit allowed).—J. J. McCarthy (16), 1 up; Dr. J. B. MacClancy (13), all square; Geo. Killeen (12), 2 down; Dr. C. O'Malley (18), 2 down; T. B. Pearson (18), 4 down; J. Smith (16), 5 down; J. V. Coogan (16), 6 down.

BARRAT-SMITH CUP—Ladies, Match Play (16 Entries).

First Round.—Miss McCarthy beat Mrs. T. C. Ross, 3 and 2; Mrs. Jenkins beat Mrs. R. de R. Rose, w.o.; Mrs. March beat Miss Kelly, 4 and 3; Miss Perry beat Mrs. Webb, 6 and 4; Miss Glynn beat Mrs. Noble Johnson, 3 and 1; Miss Waggett beat Miss Dale, 4 and 2; Mrs. Dwyer beat Mrs. Murphy, 3 and 1; Mrs. Payne beat Mrs. P. E. Bryant, 4 and 3.

Second Round.—Mrs. Jenkins beat Miss McCarthy, 2 and 1; Mrs. March beat Miss Perry, 4 and 3; Miss Glynn beat Miss Waggett, 2 up; Mrs. Dwyer beat Miss Payne, 4 and 2.

Semi-Finals.—Mrs. March beat Mrs. Jenkins, 5 and 4; Mrs. Dwyer beat Miss Glynn, 1 up.

Final.—Mrs. W. Dwyer beat Mrs. March, 5 and 1.

A RECORD BY MISS LEITCH.

Miss Cecil Leitch, the former British Lady Champion, yesterday broke the ladies' record for the Cooden Beach course, with a round of 73, four strokes better than the previous figure.

PORTMARNOCK.—The Veterans' Cup (open) will be played for to-morrow. Entry and draws for partners at Clubhouse from 10 to 5.30 o'clock. Competitors may practice to-day.

CLONGOWES UNION G.S.—The captain's prize will be played for (by kind permission) at Delgany to-morrow.

LUCAN.—Whit Cup—Winner, Jas. Canty (12), 73. Monthly Cup—Winner, T. McAleenan (14), 77. Spa Hotel Cup, fixed for 21st inst., has been postponed.

MALAHIDE.—Men's Section — To-day — June monthly cup v. bogey. Arrange partners.

KILLINEY.—Ladies' Branch—June medal—Mrs. Fry (19), 77; Mrs. Haggard (9), 79. Captain's (Mr. J. O'Loughlen) prize. Draw:—Mrs. Haggard v. Mrs. Callanan; Mrs. Jenkin v. Miss Miller; Miss Byrne v. Miss McCormick; Miss Ross v. Miss Riddick. Byes—Mrs. Knapp v. Miss Fineburg; Miss Halpin v. Mrs. Maunsell; Mrs. Tyler v. Mrs. O'Kelly; Mrs. Norman v. Mrs. Fry; Mrs. Egan v. Mrs. Fineburg; Mrs. Callaghan v. Miss M. Egan. Matches to start at 11 o'clock, unless otherwise arranged.

RATHFARNHAM.—Norlands Cup. The following have qualified:—Draw: R. Harrington v. J. S. Pepper; R. W. Hamilton v. M. A. Smyth; J. W. Elvery v. S. Mason; G. K. Deans v. A. Brunker; D. J. Deans v. Rev. H. G. Forde; R. M. Scott v. W. F. Williams; R. D. English v. G. Hermanni; W. J. Tarleton v. P. G. Crofton.

CASTLE.—Saturday last—Semi-open four-ball v. bogey. The following tied for first place and divided first and second prizes:—J. M. Naismith and N. Pearson and K. Guinan and H. Whelan, 7 up; R. K. Love and E. D. Garland and S. M'Crea and P. Robinson, 6 up. June 21st—Monthly medal, bogey.

CASTLEKNOCK COLLEGE UNION.—The competition for the Keogh Cup will be held at Portmarnock (by kind permission) on Monday afternoon next. Dinner (optional) afterwards at the Dolphin. Will those intending to dine please notify the Hon. Secretary, J. J. Hickey, 24 North Earl street, by Saturday morning?

POLO.

ALL-IRELAND CLUB.

LADIES' CUP TOURNAMENT.

The first match in the Ladies' Cup tournament was played yesterday at the A.I.P.C., Phoenix Park, in ideal weather. There is an entry of four teams for the tournament, which is being played on American lines under handicap. Each side plays the other, and the teams scoring the highest number of goals play off in the final. In yesterday's game Ardsallagh conceded Clondalkin two goals, and won by nine goals to four. It was a fine, open game, with plenty of hard riding and clever hitting. Mr. Arnott and Captain Goulding were in fine form for the winners the former hitting three goals; while Mr. Slocock and Mr. Trench were outstanding players for Clondalkin.

ARDSALLAGH (9) v. CLONDALKIN (4).

Mr. H. O'Reilly was unable to turn out for Ardsallagh owing to indisposition, and his place was taken by Captain Lingard Goulding. This gave Ardsallagh a pull in the handicap, and they were called upon to concede two goals. Clondalkin went near scoring in the opening period. On one occasion Mr. B. O'Reilly sent in a grand, long shot, but the ball struck the post and rolled out, and subsequently Mr. McCann cleared from the front of the goal. Ardsallagh galloped down before the finish, and Mr. Arnott hit an easy goal. In the last minute Captain Goulding experienced the worst of luck with a long shot. The second chukkar opened with a hit out by Clondalkin, but they were held in their own territory until Mr. McCann registered with a long shot, while, following the throw-in, Mr. Leonard whipped up a cross shot by Mr. Arnott and back-handed through the goal. The equaliser, however, came in the next minute, Mr. Trench scoring from close range. Ardsallagh hit behind several times before the change of ponies. Ardsallagh went into the lead early in the third period, Captain Goulding scoring with a long shot, and this was supplemented a minute or two later by Mr. Arnott, who scored from far out on the right. Mr. Leonard hit two goals for Ardsallagh before the change, and they thus entered upon the last period with a majority of four. Ardsallagh held command in the final chukkar, and early on Captain Goulding scored from close in, but the others broke away shortly afterwards, and Mr. Slocock hit a fine goal. Just on the stroke of time Mr. Arnott put through the ninth for his side. Teams:—

Ardsallagh—Mr. J. A. Leonard, Mr. Maxwell Arnott, Captain Lingard Goulding, and Mr. A. McCann (back).

Clondalkin—Captain B. Daly, Mr. E. S. Slocock, Mr. J. A. B. Trench, and Mr. B. T. O'Reilly (back).

Umpire—Mr. J. W. Shackleton.

INTERNATIONAL TRIAL.

In the fifth International trial match, played on Monday at Roehampton, the Trial team defeated Roehampton by 6 goals to 4. The ground was soft, and the game was somewhat disappointing, the polo not being up to International standard. Major T. W. Kirkwood was still unable to play at No. 1 on the Trial side owing to his injured shoulder. The sides previously announced by the Selection Committee had, therefore, to be changed, and were as follows:—

Trial Side—Lieut.-Col. T. P. Melvill, Major G. H. Phipps-Hornby, Mr. Lewis Lacy, and Major V. N. Lockett (back).

Roehampton—Mr. E. W. Hopping, Lieut.-Col. the Hon. J. D. Y. Bingham, Major F. B. Hundall, and Mr. J. A. E. Traill (back).

BOWLING.

I.B.A. JUNIOR CUP.

The Cavehill team travelled from Belfast on Saturday, and played Kenilworth on their own ground, the latter running out winners by 22 shots. The following were the rink scores:—

Cavehill.	Shots.	Kenilworth.	Shots.
Rink 1 (skip) A. Jones	21	(skip) P. J. Mannion	24
Rink 2 (skip) W. Jones	12	(skip) R. H. Felton	21
Rink 3 (skip) S. Shaw	17	(skip) A. S. Imrie	21
Rink 4 (skip) — Dwinan	15	(skip) R. Lawrence	21
	65		87

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS.

The tenth race will be sailed this evening; first gun 6.30 p.m. Special prize presented by Mr. A. R. O'Conor (with special handicap to be given at start; handicaps will be given before first gun. Club prizes on following handicap:—Coquette (scr.) allows Mollie and Phyllis 1 min. each; Wendy, Tomboy, Vela, and Moonsnie 4 mins. each; Pansy 5 min.; Barbara 6 min.; Blue Bird 8 min.

The ninth race (captain's prize) stands postponed till Monday evening next.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE IRISH CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Favoured with another good day the Championships at Fitzwilliam Club were advanced another stage yesterday. The All-Comers' Singles are now well forward and should provide some interesting matches in the coming rounds. The meeting of G. S. B. Mack and L. A. Meldon yesterday afternoon produced a close struggle, which would have been even closer but for the former's weakness overhead.

The early rounds of the Ladies' Singles furnished no surprises, but the meeting of Miss Daly and Miss Allen resulted in a very level match, which went the full distance before the first-named qualified for the next round, by two sets to one. In this event Miss Stoker qualified for the semi-final round, by her win against Miss Greene, in which match the second set ran to 24 games. In the Girls' Championship, the holder, Miss M. French, came through at the expense of Miss Joyce Ramsden. Details:—

ALL-COMERS' SINGLES—First Round.

H. J. McCormick beat R. F. Cameron—6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

E. A. McGuire beat H. B. Foy—6-0, 6-0, 6-1.

J. Miley beat J. G. Oulton—6-2, 6-2, 6-3.

H. M. Read beat H. E. Shanahan—6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

G. W. Scroope beat T. V. Murphy—6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

P. A. Ryan beat J. E. Harding—3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round.

E. J. Mockler beat V. Allman Smith—4-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4.

R. E. Tottenham beat D. J. McWeeney—6-2, 6-3, 8-6.

J. C. Teegan beat W. B. McCrea—6-1, 6-2, 6-0.

H. Tyrrell Smith beat A. Channing—6-1, 6-2, 6-2.

J. W. Parkes beat J. J. Murphy—6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

J. K. Maconchy beat H. B. Pollock—6-2, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4.

P. H. Stokes beat R. W. S. Greene—6-3, 8-6, 6-3.

L. A. Meldon beat G. S. B. Mack—6-3, 9-7, 7-5.

ALL-COMERS' DOUBLES—First Round.

J. E. Harding and E. A. Mockler beat R. and B. Towers—6-3, 6-3, 6-0.

J. Miley and E. A. McGuire beat P. E. Dunn and H. B. Foy—6-1, 6-3, 6-1.

J. F. Stokes and S. Scroope beat F. K. Patterson and D. Kennedy—6-2, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

LADIES' DOUBLES—First Round.

Mrs. Tomlinson and Mrs. Price beat Misses Foy and Low—6-1, 6-2.

Mrs. Blair White and Miss Morrow beat Misses Pim and Stoker—6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Rounds and Miss Monahan, w.o.; Mrs. Scroope and Miss Ryan, scr.

Second Round.

Misses H. Wallis and H. O'Reilly beat Miss R. Murphy and Mrs. Chute—6-1, 6-2.

Mrs. Miley and Miss N. Daly beat Miss Greene and Mrs. Rotherham—6-2, 6-2.

LADIES' SINGLES—First Round.

Mrs. Blair White beat Miss D. Julian—6-4, 6-2.

Miss N. Daly beat Miss Allen—6-4, 1-6, 6-3.

Second Round.

Mrs. Tomlinson, w.o.; Mrs. Rotherham, scr.

Miss Monahan beat Mrs. Hammersley—6-1, 6-3.

Third Round.

Miss Stoker beat Miss D. Greene—6-1, 13-11.

GIRLS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—Third Round.

Miss M. French beat Miss Joyce Ramsden—6-2, 6-4.

BOYS SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—Third Round.

N. E. Hogg beat A. Tyndall—7-5, 6-3.

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—Second Round.

E. A. Mockler and Miss French, w.o.; S. G. Scroop and Mrs. Scroop, scr.

R. E. Tottenham and Mrs. Tomlinson beat L. A. Meldon and Miss Morrow—2-6, 8-6, 6-1.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

3 o'clock—Miss Faith Evans v. Miss Stoker.

4.30 o'clock—T. K. Patterson v. C. A. Jackson; R. Towers v. J. Johnston; Ireland v. Towers; Read v. Scroope; E. A. M'Guire v. H. J. M'Cormick; Parkes v. Maconchy; Meldon v. Winner of Love v. Daly; G. S. B. Mack and Miss Walker v. J. E. Harding and Miss Julian; H. J. and Miss O'Reilly v. C. S. and Miss Wallis.

5.30 o'clock—Ireland and Mrs. Blair White v. R. Cameron and Miss Greene; J. Miley and E. A. M'Guire v. G. W. Scroope and L. A. Meldon; C. M. Finny and C. A. Jackson v. J. F. Stokes and S. Scroope; G. S. B. Mack and R. E. Tottenham v. J. K. Machonchy and H. J. M'Cormick.

INTER-CLUB COMPETITIONS.

GLENAGEARY 2nd v. KENILWORTH 2nd.—At Kenilworth on Saturday Glenageary won by 6 matches to 2, one Double not being played. Having won Section B, Glenageary have now qualified to meet the winners of Section A in the semi-final. Details:—H. R. Maunsell (G.) beat Evans (K.)—8-6, 2-6, 9-7; F. T. Gick (G.) beat T. M'Loughlin (K.)—6-2, 6-0; P. Coll (G.) beat Condell (K.)—6-3, 6-1; T. Booth (G.) beat Vaughan (K.)—6-4, 4-0 (retired hurt); P. West (G.) lost to M'Clenaghan (K.)—7-5, 2-6, 8-10; H. Exshaw (G.) lost to R. M'Loughlin (K.)—3-6, 6-8. Doubles:—Gick and Coll (G.) beat T. M'Loughlin and Condell (K.)—6-1, 6-1; Booth and West (G.) beat Evans and M'Clenaghan (K.)—4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

PERCY v. DRUMCONDRA.—At Percy on Monday, Percy winning by 6 to 3. Details:—T. O'Brien (P.) lost to H. Willits (D.)—3-6, 6-2, 6-3; G. Overend (P.) beat T. Cummins (D.)—6-4, 2-6, 6-2; F. P. Tabuteau (P.) lost to M. M'Kennion (D.)—8-6, 7-5; T. Prescott (P.) beat J. M'Quaid (D.)—6-3, 10-8; E. M'Cormick (P.) beat F. Tally (D.)—6-3, 7-5; H. Thompson (P.) beat P. Preston (D.)—6-2, 6-2. Doubles:—Tabuteau and O'Brien (P.) beat Willits and Cummins (D.)—6-4, 8-6; Overend and M'Cormick (P.) lost to M'Kennion and M'Quaid (D.)—6-2, 6-2; Prescott and Thompson (P.) beat Tally and Preston (D.)—6-2, 7-5.

FRANCE v. INDIA.

The first two matches of the France v. India tie in the Davis Cup resulted in victories for France. Lacoste beat Sleem—4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4, and Cochet beat Jacob.

The Lacoste-Sleem match was a contest between two players who have many similarities. It was a baseline duel from start to finish, and as soon as Lacoste recovered confidence after losing the first set, his rapid drives and unvarying accuracy enabled him to outplay his veteran opponent.

Cochet had little difficulty in disposing of Jacob. He lost the second set largely through carelessness, though the accurate length of Jacob's hard drives accounted for the number of points gained by India.

Cochet and Brugnon play Hadi and Fyzee in the doubles. Borotra is not included in the French team. He is suffering from fatigue after his hard games for the French Championship.

WILTON LAWN TENNIS CLUB (Sand Courts). Open to Visitors, Sundays included. Beginners taught.—(Advt.)

SWIMMING.

LEINSTER TAILTEANN TRIALS.

The Leinster branch trials at the Zoological Gardens last night were a great success from a sporting point of view. The number of entries was greater than might reasonably have been expected, having regard to the early date for outdoor swimming, and the form displayed was distinctly encouraging. R. K. Boylan, of University College S.C., put up a fine performance by winning the 800 and 400 metres. Miss M. V. Armstrong also bringing off a double event by capturing the 100 and 200 metres ladies' events. There was a fine gathering of spectators, who enjoyed the proceedings thoroughly.

800 Metres (Men)—R. K. Boylan (University College), 1; T. H. Dockrell (Dublin University), 2; W. H. Sexton (Dublin), 3; E. E. Benson (Pembroke), 4. Won a splendid race by three yards; twenty yards separated second and third and three yards third and fourth. Time—15 mins. 30 secs. Also competed—C. P. Kenna (Sandycove) and H. Lewis (Sandycove).

Diving (Men).—M. P. Heron (Half-Moon and Sandycove), 1; P. M'Allister (Sandycove), 2; W. Carroll, sen. (Sandycove), 3. Also competed—E. Cox (Sandycove), P. Carr (Sandycove) and L. Tozer (Sandycove).

Diving (Boys).—E. Heron (Sandycove), 1; R. Sheridan (Belvedere College), 2; P. M'Allister (Belvedere College), 3.

200 Metres (Ladies)—Free Style.—Miss M. V. Armstrong (Pembroke), 1; Miss B. Hanna (Pembroke), 2; Miss Mooney (Pembroke), 3; Miss M. Cody (Dublin), 4. Also competed—Miss Nolan (Clontarf) and Miss Temple (Dublin). Won a splendid race by a yard; two yards between second and third, with fourth a yard behind. Time—5 mins. 38 secs.

100 Metres (Ladies)—Free Style.—Miss M. V. Armstrong (Pembroke), 1; Miss B. Hanna (Pembroke), 2; Miss Mooney (Pembroke), 3; Miss Temple (Dublin), 4. Also competed—Miss Morgan Byrne (Pembroke), Miss D. Poots (Pembroke), Miss N. O'Loughlin (Pembroke) and Miss P. Healy (Dublin). Won by three yards; a yard between second and third, with fourth two yards away. Time—92 secs.

400 Metres (Men)—Free Style.—R. K. Boylan, 1; C. Fagan (Sandycove), 2; H. Lewis (Sandycove), 3; C. P. Kenna (Sandycove), 4. Won by fifteen yards; same separated second and third. Time—7 mins. 24 secs.

The trials will be continued this evening at 6.30. The order of events is as follows:—

1. 1,500 Metres Free Style (Men).
2. Diving (Ladies).
3. 200 Metres Breast Stroke (Men).
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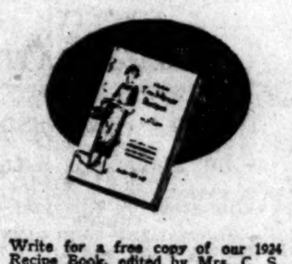

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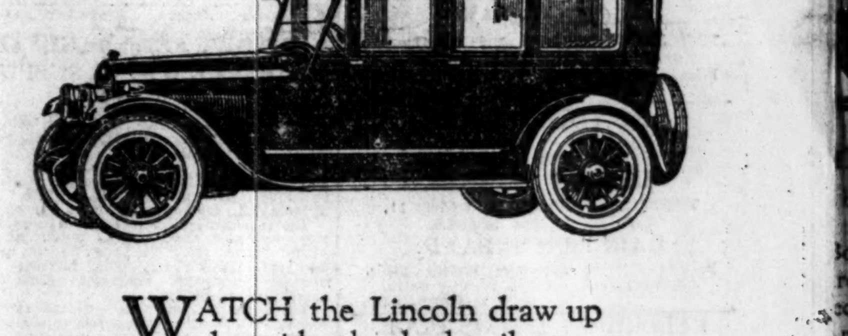

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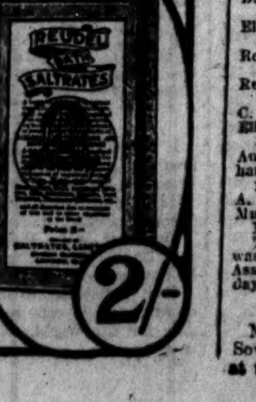

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WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE,
At 8 p.m., in
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Tickets—Reserved, 3/6; Unreserved, 2/4, from the Read School, 12 Harcourt street, and Messrs. Pigott.
At the recent FEIS CEOIL the following distinctions were gained:—
THE HAMILTON HARTY CUP and THE LARCHET CUP (won outright): Rhoda Coghill.
PIGOTT CUP—2nd Place and Very Highly Commended: Helen Yates.
SENIOR PIANO, SILVER MEDAL: Deena Brett.
BRONZE MEDAL: Eileen O'Donoghue.
HIGHLY COMMENDED—Eileen Braid, Ursula Murphy, May Hughes, Daisy Caulfield, Patricia Fagan, Mildred Gerard, Marjorie Gordon, Freddie Stone, Maude Clarke.
C.—Agnes Hughes, May Sayers.
JUNIOR PIANO, Bronze Medal—Olive Dobbyn.
HIGHLY COMMENDED—Myra Jephson, Doris Solomon, Rosie M'Namara. C.—Freda Bonner, Patricia Hegarty.
SPECIAL JUNIOR, FIRST PRIZE—Betty Hewson.
HIGHLY COMMENDED—Dorothy Hurley. C.—Peggy Stone, Marie Mulcahy, Rita Bergin, Sheila Farragher.
JUNIOR TRIO—First Prize (piano)—Gracie Hughes.

ST. PATRICK'S GUILD.
GARDEN PARTY TO GUILD CHILDREN,
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), JUNE 19th, at
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Friends and Subscribers are invited to attend.
Tea, 5 p.m.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
REGINALD ARTHUR PERCY ROGERS, late of 142 Leinster Road, Rathmines, in the County of Dublin, and of Trinity College in the City of Dublin, F.T.C.D., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the Estate or Assets of the said Reginald Arthur Percy Rogers, Deceased, who died on the 17th day of October, 1923, are hereby required on or before the 15th day of July, 1924, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, and, in default thereof, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Testator, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1924.
NATHANIEL TAYLOR, Solicitor for the said Executors, 23 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Notice of Sitting for Proof of Debts.—21.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
RICHARD K. BROWNE, trading as R. Kilgariff and Sons, Bishop street, Tuam, County Galway, General Merchant, a Bankrupt.

A Public Sitting in this Matter will be held before the Chief Registrar, at the Law Courts, the Castle, Dublin, on Tuesday, the 1st day of July, 1924, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, forenoon, for the Proof and Admission of Debts and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's Account.

A creditor may prove his debt at the Sitting, or send his Affidavit of Debt in the prescribed form or his detailed account to the undernamed Official Assignee four days previously to the Sitting in order to have the same admitted.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1924.
W. F. COOPER, Senior Assistant.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, Law Courts, Dublin.
E. F. COLLINS and SON, Solicitors for the Assignees, 19 Eustace street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
MARY JANE HACKETT, late of 69 Queen street, Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, all persons having claims against the assets of the said Mary Jane Hackett, who died on the 12th day of April, 1924, at 69 Queen street, Dublin, aforesaid, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims before the 23rd day of July next to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, to whom Probate of the Will was granted forth of the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 6th day of June, 1924, and after the said 23rd day of July next the said Executors will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1924.
JOHN J. McDONALD, Solicitor for said Executors, 116 Grafton street, Dublin.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following is the order of Advertisements in to-day's *Irish Times*:—

FIRST PAGE.	Garden.
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Poultry, Eggs, Dairy, &c.	Seaside and Country.
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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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With MILTON SILLS and WANDA HAWLEY.
At 4 o'c., 6.25, and 8.50. Comedies, Pictorial, etc.
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GRADE II.—Sheila Hetherington, 110 marks Honours. PREPARATORY—Norah Strong, 90 per cent. (Honours). PRIMARY GRADE—Daphne Boyd and Ryal Lawson.
HARMONY—GRADE III.—Betty Bryson, 89 per cent. (Honours). GRADE I.—Sheila Hetherington, 84 per cent.; David Grene, 81 per cent. (distinction).
PIANO—TRINITY COLLEGE—SENIOR GRADE—Winnie Burnett, 76 per cent. and Aimie McCabe, 82 per cent. (Honours).

PUBLIC NOTICES.

GOVERNESS ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 1924.

ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP.
A Scholarship (open to candidates of every denomination) of the value of £42, giving free education at Alexandra College for two years, will be awarded on the results of an Entrance Examination, to be held on September 10th, 1924.

STEARNE SCHOLARSHIPS.
Two Scholarships of the value of £20 each (open to daughters of clergymen of the Church of Ireland), giving free education at Alexandra College for one year, will be awarded on the result of an Entrance Examination, to be held on September 10th, 1924.

Candidates must be under 17 on the 1st day of June, 1924.

TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP.
A Scholarship (open to candidates of every denomination) of the value of £20 will be given in the Junior Training Department of Alexandra College on the result of an Examination, to be held in September.

Nomination Forms for these Scholarships must be sent in before September 1st.

All particulars may be had on application to the Hon. Secretary, Governess Association, Alexandra College.

H. B. LEWIS, } Hon.
J. E. WALSH, } Secs.

CONTRACTS.

DINGLE RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

DINGLE SEWERAGE AND DINGLE WATER SUPPLY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

The Dingle Rural District Council invite tenders from competent contractors for the construction of a sewerage system, and a water supply for the town of Dingle, in the County of Kerry, in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Mr. P. H. McCarthy, M.A., B.A.I., M.Inst.C.E.I., 26 Lower Leeson street, Dublin.

The sewerage system comprises 110 yards 6-inch stoneware pipe, 1,921 yards 9-inch pipe, 1,312 yards 12-inch pipe, 64 yards 15-inch pipe, and 64 yards 12-inch C.I. pipe, together with all necessary manholes, lampholes, storm overflows, ventilation shafts, etc.

The works in connection with the water supply consist of collecting drains and catchment tanks, 1,622 yards of 4-inch cast iron main, concrete service tank to hold about 180,000 gallons, 1,035 yards 5-inch, 250 yards 4-inch, and 3,034 yards 3-inch cast iron distribution pipes, together with all necessary sluice valves, air valves, hydrants, fountains, scour outs, etc., and 110 yards 6-inch cast iron and 393 yards 6-inch stoneware scour out pipe.

Copies of the plans and specifications can be inspected at the office of the Clerk of the Rural District Council, Dingle, or at the office of the Engineer, 26 Lower Leeson street, Dublin, during the usual office hours.

Copies of the Bills of Quantities and Forms of Tender can be obtained from the Clerk of the Council, or the Engineer, on payment of a deposit of two guineas, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender.

Separate Bills of Quantities and Forms of Tender are provided for the Sewerage Scheme and Water Supply; but it is to be understood that the two tenders, when added together, are to be considered as the tender for the entire works, and one contract will be entered into for both.

Local labour is to be employed as far as possible.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted, nor will the Council be responsible for any expenses incurred by contractors tendering.

Tenders, with fully priced Bills of Quantities, endorsed "Tender for Dingle Sewerage and Water Supply," to be delivered in sealed envelopes at the office of the undersigned Clerk of the Council, not later than eleven o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the fifth day of July, 1924.

Tenders will be opened at a meeting of the Dingle Rural District Council, to be held at Board Room, Workhouse, Dingle, on said 5th July, 1924, in presence of an Engineering Inspector, representing the Ministry of Local Government, and of the Engineer, Mr. P. H. McCarthy, who prepared the plans and specifications already referred to.

The said Council, on the advice of these Engineers, will have power to accept such tender, not necessarily the lowest, as they may think fit.

T. GALVIN, Clerk, Dingle Rural District Council, Clerk's Office, Workhouse, Dingle, Co. Kerry.

31st May, 1924.
JOHN O'CONNELL, LL.D., Solicitor, Law Chambers, Tralee.

COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

REPAIRS TO STEAM ROLLER NO. 1.

Notice is hereby given that the County Council will, at its Meeting to be held on 26th inst., consider Tenders from Contractors for Repairs to No. 1 Steam Roller. Copy of specification in connection therewith can be had on application to the undersigned at his Office, 11 Parnell square, Dublin. Sealed Tenders addressed to the Presiding Chairman, and marked STEAM ROLLER, will be received on or before 12 noon on Thursday, 26th June, 1924, by the Secretary, at his Office.

By Order,
SEAMUS UA LAOIDHLEIS,
An Runaidhe.

Secretary's Office,
11 Parnell square, Dublin,
13th June, 1924.

COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE TO HAULAGE CONTRACTORS.

STEAM WAGON FOR SALE.

The Dublin County Council invite Tenders for the purchase of a Five (5) Ton Steam Wagon and Two Five (5) Ton Trailers.

Steam Wagon built by Clayton, of Lincoln, in 1919, fitted with end tipping body (wood), operated mechanically or by hand. Nominal speed, 5 m.p.h.

Trailers built by R. Garrett and Sons, Leiston, New in 1922; side tipping wooden bodies, mounted on springs, rubber tyred, almost as new.

The Plant has been in use intermittently only.

Any further information required can be obtained on application to the County Surveyor, 11 Parnell square, Dublin.

Tenders, endorsed STEAM WAGON, to be addressed the Presiding Chairman, will be received by the undersigned at his Office, 11 Parnell square, Dublin, on or before 12 noon on Thursday, 26th June, 1924.

(Signed),
SEAMUS UA LAOIDHLEIS,
An Runaidhe.

11 Parnell square, Dublin,
12th June, 1924.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
GOWRAN PARK RACECOURSE.

Tenders are invited for the Erection of Stand at Gowran Park Racecourse, according to plans and specification prepared by Messrs. Foley and O'Sullivan, 102 Grafton street, Dublin. Plans may be had on deposit of £2 (returnable), or may be inspected at the Offices of the Architects, or with Mr. J. F. Kirwan, Hon. Secretary, Gowranbridge.

No Tender will be considered unless accompanied by a detailed list of prices. Sealed Tenders will be received up to 3rd July at the Offices of the Architects or by the Secretary.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

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YOU reflect the bright tints of summer in your clothes—why not in your Umbrella? A black Umbrella is not in keeping with summer scenes or summer raiment.

We have Umbrellas in many shades, including the new short, chubby designs, with coloured tips and covers. Prices from 15/9 up. Other chubbies from 8/11 to 35/-.

All makes of chubby Umbrellas repaired and re-covered.

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Umbrella and Sunshade Manufacturers,
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
WILL HOLD AN
INTER-DEBATE,
With Representatives of the Edinburgh Speculative Society and of the Cambridge and Edinburgh Unions
TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY),
AT 8 P.M.,
IN THE EXAMINATION HALL, T.C.D.
Motion for Debate:
"THAT NATIONALISM, RATHER THAN INTERNATIONALISM, IS THE HOPE OF THE FUTURE."
Chairman: THE LORD GLENAVY,
Vice-Chancellor of the University and Vice-President of the Society.

The Meeting is Open to the Public.
LADIES NOT ADMITTED.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.
DAY OF INTERCESSION,
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), JUNE 19th.
HOLY COMMUNION IN ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL and CHRIST CHURCH, LEESON PARK, 8 a.m.;
ST. GEORGE'S, 7.45 a.m.; ST. ANN'S, 11.30 a.m.
Special Service for all Branches
In Christ Church, Leeson Park, at 8.15 p.m.
Address by the Rev. A. E. HUGHES.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

An Open Competitive Examination will be held for NOT LESS THAN FIFTY VACANCIES AS MALE OFFICERS in the above Service in the month of October next. A proportion of the vacancies will be reserved for ex-Army Candidates.

Age Limits—19-23 on 1st October.

Standard of Examination—Pass University Degree.

Applications are not to be made pending a further advertisement.

17th June, 1924.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.

COIMISIUN CUIRTEANNA DHAIL EIREANN (CRIOCHNU GNOTHA).
(Dail Eireann Courts (Winding Up) Commission).
CAISLEAN BHAILE ATHA CLIATH
(Dublin Castle).

Courts of the Commissioners will be held in the towns undermentioned on the dates following:—

Town.	Date.
Ballina, Co. Mayo	July 2nd, at 10.30 a.m.
Castlebar, Co. Mayo	July 7th, at 10.30 a.m.
Carndonagh, Co. Tirconaill	July 2nd, at 10.30 a.m.
Donegal, Co. Tirconaill ..	July 9th, at 10.30 a.m.
Letterkenny, Co. Tirconaill	July 16th, at 10.30 a.m.

Notice of any Application to the Commissioners to hear any pending proceeding or any Appeal against the Registration of a Decree or any Appeal against a Registered Decree must be served on all proper persons, and Notice transmitted to the Registrar, Dublin Castle, in accordance with the Rules. Short service (not less than seven days) will in the circumstances be deemed good by the Commissioners where no injustice or surprise would result to the parties.

All Plaintiffs and Appellants in cases coming before the Court for hearing must be prepared to prove service of due Notice of hearing on Defendants and Respondents respectively.

The above will be the final Circuit for the Counties of Mayo and Tirconaill.

Signed,
PHILIP J. McQUAID,
Registrar, Dublin Castle.

14th June, 1924.
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THE ROYAL MEDICAL BENEVOLENT FUND SOCIETY OF IRELAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Of this Society, will be held at
THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND,
STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN,
ON WEDNESDAY, the 25th JUNE, 1924,
At 5 p.m.
Members and Subscribers are invited to attend.
ALFRED E. BOYD, Secretary.

NEWTOWN AND MOUNTMELLICK OLD SCHOLARS' ASSOCIATION.

The Date of the
REUNION AT NEWTOWN
has been altered to JULY 12th, 13th, 14th.

In order to facilitate the arrangements for accommodation, it is requested that those who expect to be present will communicate as soon as possible with the Hon. Sec., from whom programmes and further details may be obtained.

E. SUSETTE CLARK, Hon. Sec.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BELFAST.
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MINERS' HOURS.

The Press Association says that the British Government intend to introduce a short bill to interpret the Seven Hours Act, with the object of securing to miners a seven hours bank to bank shift.

Nearly every man thinks he can do three things—namely, run a newspaper, build a fire, and guide the Government wisely.—Mr. Gordon Selfridge.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The report of the Army inquiry was published yesterday.—(Page 5.)

The text of the Dairy Produce Bill, which was introduced in the Dail last week, is published to-day.—(Page 7.)

The Free State Minister of Local Government and Health yesterday informed a deputation from the Greater Dublin Reconstruction Movement that he had appointed a Commission of Inquiry into local government and allied problems in the City and County of Dublin.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The House of Commons last night debated a series of resolutions, formally proposed by Mr. Baldwin, with a view to giving effect to proposals made at the Imperial Conference for the abolition or reduction of duties on various commodities of Empire origin. The debate was adjourned.—(Page 4.)

ABROAD

M. Herriot, in the Chamber yesterday, detailed the new French Government's programme.—(Page 5.)

General Smuts and Sir Abe Bailey lost their seats in the South African elections yesterday.—(Page 5.)

SPORTING.

At Roscommon yesterday Oxo won the Whelan Plate, Rooskey Belle II. the Byrne Plate, Eager Damsel the Mapother Plate, Blue Fish the Harrison Plate, White Eyes the Neilan Plate, and Ischevaha walked over for the Hayden Plate.—(Page 8.)

At Ascot yesterday Scullion won the Ascot Stakes.—(Page 8.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were quiet and firm, with business on a small scale.—(Page 9.)

Lombard street was amply supplied with loans at 1½ per cent. Discounts were steadier. In the foreign exchanges French francs reacted to 80.25.—(Page 9.)

In Dublin the market was very small and dull. Guinness Shares fell ⅛ to 41⅛, and Burke Ord. rose 1s. to 81s.—(Page 9.)

Reform and Apathy.

We have deplored the lack of a sound public opinion so often that readers may have grown weary of the theme; but surely our insistence is justified by the case of the new Licensing Bill. This is the first measure of social reform which has been introduced in the Parliament of a self-governing Ireland. It proposes, in a quite modest fashion, to check some of the worst abuses of the drink traffic. Everybody admits that excessive drinking is the cause of most of Ireland's crime, misery and backwardness. If the Licensing Bill is passed, the hours for the sale of drink will be curtailed; the manufacture and sale of poteen will be a penal offence; traffic in intoxicants will be forbidden in premises which women and children frequent for the purchase of household goods; there will be a tightening of the general administration of the law, which now is notoriously lax. In a word, from the standpoint of national health, prosperity and morals, this is the most valuable Bill that has come before the *Dail*. The drink trade, however, dislikes it and is straining every nerve to secure its rejection or at least to make it worthless as a measure of reform; and the drink trade still has a far-reaching influence in Irish politics. An active canvass has been conducted among the members of the *Dail*. It is rumoured that, under the trade's pressure, whole parties have been swung into opposition and that the Government is threatened with a crisis. The second reading of the Bill will be taken in the present week, and we learn that it stands in actual danger of defeat.

There must be in the Free State hundreds of thousands of patriotic citizens who desire earnestly that the Licensing Bill shall become law. Its operation would foster the amenities of their daily lives, would substitute decency for squalor, would safeguard their children from the crowding temptations of an unrestricted drink traffic. All the Churches are in constant war against the perils and abuses of this traffic. It is denounced regularly by Synods of the Church of Ireland. In their recent pastorals the Roman Catholic Hierarchy lamented unanimously the awful results of strong drink on the spiritual and social welfare of their flocks. Every large employer of labour in the Free State knows that his profits are reduced by the effect of drunkenness on the health and efficiency of his workers. What are all these influences doing to save the Government's Bill? What is the Irish Press doing to create a moral atmosphere which will encourage *Dail* and Senate to fulfil their duty to the people and to resist the formidable pressure of the Bill's well-organised enemies? Now that this vital issue has been brought to a true test, the Churches are quite inactive: as John Kells Ingram said at the time of Majuba—

"Religion, unregardful, keeps her cell."

So far as we are aware, no public meeting in support of the Bill has been held under the auspices of any Church. No Chamber of Commerce has endorsed it as a measure of good morality and good business. The Press has remained silent. There is no evidence that any official organisation or any body of citizens has taken the slightest trouble to canvass members of the *Oireachtas* in favour of the Bill.

It is an astonishing and humiliating situation, which could occur in no country that had any conception of civic duty or even the most shadowy nucleus of an educated public opinion. The apathy of the forces of social reform in this matter—"forces" in such a connection has an ironic sound—is very unfair to the Government and to the Minister who has charge of the Bill. Mr. O'Higgins had every right to expect the active support of large classes of the community for his effort to mitigate the worst of all national evils. They have failed him, and already his hands are so far weakened that he has agreed to withdraw the Government's ægis from the Bill's most important provision and to leave it to the free vote of the *Dail*. If the Bill is defeated, we shall have small sympathy with the people who wanted it but did not lift a finger to secure its passage. Yet, as all our Churches and all our political and social idealists must know, the defeat or mutilation of this Bill would be a double misfortune. It would be a grievous rebuff for the cause of temperance reform, and it would be a crushing commentary upon the use which the Free State intends to make of her independence. We talk of a national future which will inspire and purify the world; but, if our native Parliament fails at the first trial, a cynical world's *Plus ça change plus c'est la même chose* will be the epitaph of our shattered hopes.

Greater Dublin.

The decision of the Minister for Local Government and Health to appoint a Commission of Inquiry into the proposals for a Greater Dublin will be welcomed by a majority of the citizens. Mr. Burke received a deputation from the Greater Dublin Reconstruction Movement at Government Buildings yesterday, and announced that the Commission would be established without delay. He has decided to confine its *personnel* to members of the Free State Parliament, and has secured the services of Professor Magennis as Chairman. The terms of reference will be very comprehensive, and will enable the Commission to examine not only the problem of local government in the City of Dublin and its surrounding townships, but also all such allied problems as transport and public utility services which affect the general health and welfare of the population. The Committee of the Greater Dublin Movement, of which Senator Moran is Chairman, proposes to establish a number of voluntary committees which will act in an advisory capacity to the Commission. Invitations will be issued immediately to men of expert knowledge of such subjects as finance, housing and transport, and evidence will be collated from all the best sources in regard to the development of municipal government throughout the world. We are very glad that the Government has decided to investigate the matter thoroughly; and we congratulate the Committee of the Greater Dublin Movement on this result of its persevering labours. Dublin is a city which lends itself admirably to civic expansion. In the eighteenth century it was famous in Europe as a centre of social and artistic culture. Even to-day some of its streets bear melancholy witness to its former grandeur, and there are traces of that distinctive character which transforms a mere city into a national capital. Since the railway train and the steamship have brought Dublin within eight hours' journey of London, however, it has lost a great deal of its individuality. Bad architecture, bad municipal government and an almost complete lack of civic pride among its people have combined to "provincialise" the city of Swift, of Grattan and of Moore; and the plain truth is that during the last twenty-five years Dublin's best thoroughfares have been degenerating into vulgar imitations of cheap "modern" streets. There has been no central plan. Modern Dublin, like Topsy in the story, has "just growed," and its growth has been haphazard and unformed. The new Commission has a splendid chance of repairing the errors of the past. A civic survey is an essential preliminary of any proper scheme of reconstruction. Furthermore, a check ought to be put to the erection of "gorgeous" buildings which disfigure the face of the city, and the plans for every new structure ought to be made to conform to a general scheme of architecture which will tend to make Dublin not only as beautiful, but as distinctive, as Stockholm or Helsingfors. No lover of Dublin is anxious that his city shall be brought "up to date" in the sense in which Berlin, for instance, is "up to date"; but its decaying beauties can be revived by a well organised scheme of artistic reconstruction, and Dublin can be restored to its old position as one of the finest capitals of Europe.

Irish Roads.

Mr. Gosling, the British Minister for Transport, announced yesterday that the Government proposed to allocate immediately one million pounds towards the improvement of important rural roads in England. In reply to a question he said that provision had been made already for the improvement of roads in Scotland. The Irish Free State, however, whose need is far greater, must wait—perhaps, for an indefinite period. To say that the roads in the Free State are bad is to describe the situation inadequately, and, indeed, the attempt to find a suitable adjective must be abandoned in despair. The roads around Dublin are sufficiently indifferent, on the average, to provoke harsh criticism from visitors who have had experience of the highways of other civilised countries. To the visitor from any other part of the Free State the roads near Dublin are also a source of comment—but on account of their relative superiority. In many of the country places the roads are barely passable for motor vehicles. When a member of the medical profession decides to go to prison in order to support his claim that the roads in his neighbourhood are the worst in the country, matters certainly have reached a parlous state. Perhaps, the County Longford roads are the worst in Ireland, but the jails soon will be full if the Longford doctor's example is followed widely. Yet motorists are taxed more heavily in the Free State than in any other part of the British Isles, and the nominal purpose of much of this taxation is the provision of funds for the upkeep of the roads. It is high time that the local authorities should awake to a sense of their obligation in the matter, and that the Government should finance a work that is essential to the well-being of the nation. Unless something is done quickly visitors for the Tailteann Games will get an impression that will react seriously on the prospects of the Free State as a resort for tourists.

A Stout Traveller.

The journey of the late Brigadier-General George Pereira, from Peking to Lhasa was the subject, on Monday, of a lecture to the Royal Geographical Society. He covered a distance of 6,360 miles, more than 3,500 of which were travelled on foot. General Pereira started in February, 1921, and occupied eight months in the expedition. His hardships included difficult mountain climbing—in one case to a height of 8,000 feet—a walk of forty-six miles through thick snow, and the unwelcome attentions of the leeches that swarm on the lower slopes of the Chinese mountains. During the journey General Pereira suffered from a poisoned foot and partial frostbite in four toes. He gained a valuable insight into the customs and character of the people of Tibet, and was fortunate in securing an audience with the Dalai Lama; and he met one Lama who had been educated at Rugby. The country people were friendly; they trooped out of their villages to meet him, bowing and putting out their tongues. Punishment in Tibet is still chiefly corporal, and General Pereira saw a Lama undergo the amputation of his right forefinger, and witnessed other barbarous forms of correction. In the Chamdo Province he met a drill instructor who had been trained at Darjeeling, and discovered that the bagpipes were very popular and were played quite creditably by the Tibetans. General Pereira's achievement was the more remarkable in view of the fact that he was fifty-eight when he made his journey and still suffered from a severe injury which he had received in youth.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King and Queen are entertaining a large party at Windsor Castle for Ascot. Besides the Prince of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Marquis and Marchioness of Worcester and Viscount Lascelles, their guests include the Duke and Duchess of Roxburghe, the Duke and Duchess of Portland, the Marquis of Crewe, the Marquis and Marchioness of Hartington, the Earl and Countess of Granard, the Earl and Countess of Mar and Kellie, the Earl of Durham, Viscount Molyneux, Viscount and Viscountess Ednam, Lord Revelstoke, Sir Victor Mackenzie and Major and Mrs. Frederick Fetherstonhaugh.

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The Duke of Connaught, who has been re-elected Master of Trinity House, is in residence at Bagshot Park, where he is entertaining a family party for Ascot, including Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught and Lady Patricia Ramsay. Viscountess Harcourt's party at Wells Bridge House includes her daughters, the Hon. Doris and Hon. Barbara Harcourt; Viscount Hastings, the Hon. A. Baring, Mr. and Mrs. Albany Charlesworth and Mr. Eric Stocks.

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Lady Louis Mountbatten returned to Brook House, Park lane, on Monday from Rosyth, where she has been for the last fortnight with Lord Louis Mountbatten. The Duke of Newcastle is staying at Wimereux, and the Duchess of Newcastle is entertaining a small party this week at Forest Farm, Windsor, where her guests include Baroness Burton and Colonel Baillie, Baron F. de Tuyll, Sir William and Lady Noreen Bass and Mr. and Lady Barbara Smith.

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Lord Stamfordham, who is seventy-five today, is one of the most popular officials at the English Court, where he has held numerous appointments since he was made a Groom-in-Waiting to Queen Victoria in 1880. He is now Private Secretary to the King, whom he accompanied on his Colonial and Indian tours before his accession. Lord Stamfordham was formerly in the Royal Artillery, and retired with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in 1898. By his marriage with Miss Constance Neville, who died in 1922, he had one son, the Hon. John Neville Bigge, who was killed in action in 1915, and two daughters, the Hon. Mrs. Adeane and the Hon. Margaret Bigge.

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The Dowager Marchioness of Milford Haven will soon leave London for Stockholm, to visit her son-in-law and daughter, the Crown Prince and Princess of Sweden. The Marchioness of Bute, who has been spending a few days in Belgium, returned to London for Ascot. The Marquis of Londonderry arrived in London yesterday from Mount Stewart, but the Marchioness of Londonderry is remaining for the present in Ireland.

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After a short stay at Palmerstown, Co. Kildare, the Countess of Mayo has gone to London, where she will remain till the end of the season. The Earl and Countess of Bradford are staying with General the Hon. Sir Cecil and Lady Bingham at The Hermitage, Ascot. The Dowager Countess of Bradford, accompanied by Lady Margaret Scott, has left England for Norway, to visit her son, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Henry Bingham. The Earl of Cavan is staying with Viscount Churchill for Ascot.

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Lord Carnock is lying seriously ill at Burke House, near Beaconsfield, which he took recently for a short term from Admiral Sir Edward Inglefield. The Dowager Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava has left London for Beaconsfield in order to be near her sister, Lady Carnock.

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The marriage arranged between Kenneth Arthur Kennedy, Barrister-at-Law, younger son of Dr. J. M. Prior Kennedy, Elmfield, Tullamore, and Mary (Bonnie), eldest daughter of W. H. Lawrence, Sub-Agent, Bank of Ireland, Tullamore, will take place very quietly in August at St. Catherine's Church, Tullamore.

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The marriage arranged between Hugh George, eldest son of the late T. H. Levingston, F.A.A., and Mrs. Levingston, of 27 Oakley road, and Ella Isobel, only child of Master and Mrs. Denning, of 65 Lower Baggot street, will take place quietly early in August.

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The marriage arranged between George Annesley Ruth, of Ardristan, Glasnevin, and Mary (May), daughter of Major M. R. Leeson Marshall, D.L., of Callinafercy, Co. Kerry, will take place in Kerry at the end of July.

The best attention is given at this time of the year to Fur Alterations. Ladies can have their Furs Remodelled in Switzer's Fur Factory at very moderate charges.

Switzer's Restaurant, 90 Grafton street, for Quick Service, Excellent Cuisine, Comfort.

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Ideal Tennis Frocks, Sports Frocks, Tub Frocks, in Crêpes, Ratines, Egyptian Cottons, Woven Zephyrs, Washing Silks, and Roziele, 5s. 11d. to 29s. 6d.—At Holmes', George's st.

Latest Summer Millinery. Some very smart styles just arrived from Fashion Centres.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Fannin, Lt.-Col. Edward Ward, Miss Elizabeth C. Yeates, Mrs. Cumiskey, the Misses Cumiskey, Oscar Love, Mrs. Weston, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rankin, Miss Georgie Rankin, Mrs. John Good, Miss Gladys Good, Miss Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cheale, Peter Gurney, Miss Mernan Cecil, Mrs. F. A. Millar, Mrs. F. Crozier, Mrs. King, Miss King, Captain and Mrs. Butler, Mrs. M. O'Flaherty, Mrs. W. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seale, H. W. Ede, F. W. Maguire, Miss O'Kelly, R. P. O'Kelly, M. J. Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hickey, F. R. Burne, Mrs. and Miss Kirkpatrick, Lt. A. T. Jameson.

Departures:—Mrs. H. B. Good, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Smith, Miss Daly, H. C. Brunskill, C. J. McDougald, Major E. Manders, Mrs. Arnold, Master Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Collum, Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Farrell.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Fresh arrivals of New Millinery this week at McBirney's.

The Mansfield Sisters, 28 Wicklow street, the noted house for Sports Wear, are daily receiving fresh deliveries of Bouclette Suits, Tennis Frocks, and Dainty Voile Dresses. Hats to suit all occasions. Prices moderate.

Perfection in Millinery. Atkinson's Irish Poplin.—31 College Green, Dublin.

Wash Frocks, Jumpers, and Blouses for Summer wear. All marked at moderate prices. Newest designs.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Special show for 6 days of Smart Millinery, travellers' samples, from 12s. 11d.—Cathcart, 26 Dawson street.

P. M. Wilson, Ladies' Tailor, late of 18 Kildare st., owing to increased business, has removed to 85 Grafton st., 1st floor. Tel 973.

Yvonne, 51A Dawson street, Dublin—Costumes and Afternoon Gowns, Tennis Frocks, Sports Suits, from 3 gns. to 5 gns.

Furs—During the Summer season Furs Remodelled at greatly reduced prices and stored free until required.—David Vard (late of Switzers), 24 Grafton street (first floor).

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IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

PREFERENCE AND THE EMPIRE'S TRADE.

THE CONSERVATIVE PROPOSALS.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

The official Opposition came to grips with the Government to-night in the House of Commons, on the subject of Imperial preference.

Standing in the name of Mr. Baldwin there were ten resolutions, to which the sanction of the House was asked, in order to give effect to the proposals made at the Imperial Conference for the abolition or reduction of the duty on various commodities of Empire origin. From the Conservative point of view, the occasion was an important one, but the Labour and Liberal members declined to assent to the view put forward by Mr. Philip Lloyd Greame, who led the discussion, that Imperial preference was a good thing in itself, and would tend greatly to the development of the Empire's resources.

The Colonial Secretary, speaking for the Government, was quite willing that the matter should be decided by a free vote of the House, but he made it plain that the Ministry, as a Ministry, would vote against the resolutions. He conceived that there might be some disappointment in the Dominions at the fact that the resolutions had not been ratified, but, after all, this was a matter which chiefly concerned the late Government, who, having undertaken to carry the resolutions through, failed to secure the necessary mandate at the general election. In dealing with these preference questions, said Mr. Thomas, we had our own population to consider, and there was the further point that it would be contrary to democratic principles that a Government should be bound by the action of its predecessors.

Sir John Simon strongly objected to any tinkering with the principle upon which our trade had been built up. In order, he said, to give the Dominions any effective preference, we should have to increase existing food duties and impose new ones, and, notwithstanding all that had been urged on the other side, he still held to the opinion that preferences, instead of promoting Imperial unity, were much more likely to create discord.

UNINSPIRING DEBATE.

The subsequent debate was very uninspiring. Members seemed to find it difficult to speak eloquently on such topics as dried fruits, canned salmon, and so on; though there was something very refreshing in the mere mention of lime and lemon juices. The discussion was left to a mere handful of members, and at 8 o'clock the attendance had dwindled to such a degree that Mr. Collins, the Liberal member for Walsall, thought it would be desirable to whip up the flagging energies of the Opposition by calling a count. There was no rush of members into the Chamber, and the allotted interval had nearly passed before the necessary quorum of forty was ticked off by the Speaker.

It remained for Dr. Haden Guest, the Labour member for North Southwark, to relieve the dulness of the debate. Attired in full evening dress, he evoked the enthusiastic cheers of the Conservatives by his whole-hearted championship of Imperial Preference. Every sentence, declaring the necessity for strengthening the bonds of Empire, was warmly applauded by the Opposition, and when he sat down Captain Wedgwood Benn congratulated him on having achieved a success in the eyes of his political opponents, which no previous speaker had been able to secure. Dr. Guest, commenting upon the fact that there had been no alternative proposals from the Government bench, or even from the Liberals below the gangway, expressed the opinion that we could not face the perils that were coming with the purely negative policy of Free Trade.

Captain Wedgwood Benn, who, of course, was an uncompromising Free Trader, considered that Dr. Guest's views had clearly shown that certain of the Socialists had more in common with the Tories than with the Liberal Party.

Major Tryon concluded the first part of the debate on behalf of the Opposition, and Colonel Wedgwood having replied, further discussion was adjourned until to-morrow.

RODEO PROCEEDINGS.

SUMMONSES AGAINST COWBOY AND PROMOTER.

Five summonses granted to the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals against those responsible and taking part in Rodeo contests at Wembley Exhibition are to be heard at Wealdstone, Middlesex, next Tuesday. The summonses were made against the cowboy who is engaged in the steer-roping contest, which resulted in a steer breaking its leg last Saturday, and against Mr. C. B. Cochran and Tex Austin, for causing the animals to be ill-treated by being used in steer-roping contests. Summonses were also issued against Mr. Cochran and Tex Austin for keeping a place for the purpose of fighting animals, in regard to steer-wrestling contests.

Mr. J. Toole, M.P. for South Salford, has organised a party of members of the House of Commons to witness a private exhibition of steer-roping at the Stadium this week.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — The depression over the Bay of Biscay continues to deepen. In the South winds will be mainly southerly or south-easterly, with rather cloudy weather, rain in places, a slight risk of thunder and a rather high temperature. In the North winds will be easterly or north-easterly, with local rain in Northern England, but mainly fair weather in Scotland, apart from some fog on the East coast, and the temperature will be moderate or rather warm.

N.W. and N.E. Ireland. — Wind between east and north-east, moderate or fresh; mainly fair; visibility moderate or good; moderate temperature.

S.E. and S.W. Ireland. — Wind between east and north-east, moderate or fresh; cloudy; some rain; visibility moderate; moderate temperature.

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland. — Wind variable, fresh at times; cloudy; some rain; visibility poor locally; sea slight or moderate.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind easterly or south-easterly, moderate or fresh; cloudy; local rain; visibility poor at times; sea slight to moderate.

N.W. Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides. — Wind mainly north-easterly, moderate or fresh; fair to cloudy; visibility mainly good; sea slight or moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Tuesday (5 p.m.)	29.90

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To-day	Rises	4.56	Sets	9.56
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HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day	Morning	—	Afternoon	1. 7
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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Dover Road," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"April Showers," 7 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Marie Antoinette" and "What Happened to Jones."
La Scala Theatre—"The Dictator," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Grafton Picture House—"Temptation."
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Fair Lady."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Dweller in the Desert," 4, 6.25, and 8.50.
Exhibition of Modern Paintings and Drawings—7 St. Stephen's Green, 11 to 5.30.
The Senate, 3 p.m.
Dail Eireann, 3 p.m.
Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
Inter-College Debate—T.C.D., 8 p.m.
Dublin Circuit Court, 11 a.m.

It is no exaggeration to say that Parliamentary government has broken down everywhere in Europe.—Professor Sarolea.

The Oxford graduate is not a patch on the "hard knocks" graduate.—Lord Leverhulme.

Think of Mary Pickford; let her stand for any English constituency; and would she not be elected?—Mr. Gilbert Frankau.

It is something to make the world safe for democracy; it was more to make democracy safe for the world.—Rev. J. T. Barkby.

LONDON LETTER.

ROYAL ASCOT.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

Nothing could have been more successful than Ascot to-day. The scene just before the arrival of the Royal procession resembled a great flower bed with the many gorgeous parasols as the outstanding blooms. Some of these were of silver tissue, others of ostrich feathers or of gaily coloured silk trimmed with feathers, while many more were covered with lace. The tints were almost bewildering in their variety and shades. The expected dominant note of black and white was missing; for nearly every woman seemed to have chosen colours; and mauve, gold, blue, pink, pale fawn tints seemed to predominate, while red in several shades was most noticeable. Everybody was wondering what the Queen would be wearing, and when the Royal procession had passed, amid enthusiastic cheering, and Her Majesty appeared on the balcony of the Royal Box, it was seen that she was in a shade of hydrangea blue with a toque of the same shade with pale rose and mauve, while she carried a blue sunshade, covered with white lace.

There could be no gainsaying the fact that the meeting was the most brilliant since the days before the war, even if it has ever been eclipsed, which I rather doubt. The Heath presented a wonderful sight; for, in addition to the usual throng, there were thousands of overseas visitors and many foreigners. The French contingent was the largest for many years. Many Indians with gaily coloured turbans; some Chinese, many Japanese, and here and there men of darker skins, combined to make a picture which even a Frith would hardly venture to paint. The attendance all round was a "record" one for the opening day of the meeting, and, should the fine weather continue, it is expected that the "record" of to-day will be beaten.

The French Premier.

The arrangemnts concerning the visit of M. Herriot to London are still rather indefinite, and it is now likely that he will not arrive before Sunday. The Foreign Office is awaiting news from Paris, and it seems that M. Herriot may decide to go to Brussels for a day before coming to London. In any event, it has been arranged that he shall proceed direct to Chequers on arrival and stay the night.

The Government's Defeat.

Little importance is attached in Government circles to the defeat suffered in the House of Commons last night, and its chief significance is that it is the fourth in the present session. It is well known that the Government has no intention of being affected by minor defeats of this character, and that the only thing that will move it is a defeat after a full-dress debate in the House of Commons on a vote of confidence. It is this understanding which permits Socialist leaders and members of the rank and file to go into the Lobby against it. The only regret attending the defeat among the Socialists is that there is no political capital to be made out of it.

The Premier's Annoyance.

The Prime Minister, however, is understood to be far from pleased at the Government defeat last night. He realises, in common with the Labour leaders generally, that these defeats are doing the party no good in the country. The most annoying feature about last night's proceedings to them is that it should have been left to the Liberal Party to carry an anti-trust amendment to the London Traffic Bill; for it has so long been one of the cardinal principles of their programme that Labour alone was the opponent of trusts. Great efforts will be made shortly to explain away this most unpleasant, if unimportant, incident.

A General Election.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald seems to be certain that there will be no general election this year, but that is not the usual feeling in the Lobby. Members, as a rule, are not very anxious to talk about the political outlook; for they are unable to see clearly as regards the immediate future. Nobody wants an election this year; but, at the same time, all the prospects seem to point to one. Efforts may be made to stave it off by political tactics; but, should the Government fail to get its Housing Bill through Parliament, there will be trouble. Over everything else at the moment concerning election possibilities lies the failure of the Government to deal with the unemployment question. A Labour cry that the Conservatives and Liberals had combined to prevent the building of houses might prove useful in the circumstances.

The Ulster Problem.

Colonel England, the Liberal member for the Heywood Division, who was one of the party of members of Parliament who went to Ulster last week, says that he regrets that some statements of his last week in Ulster are being made the subject of what looks like anti-Free State propaganda in the Press. The statements entirely misrepresent what he did say, and any assertion to the effect that he was a "convert" to Ulster views—if by that it is meant that he has ceased to believe in the principle of self-government for all Ireland and in the settlement accomplished by the Treaty—is entirely inaccurate. What he saw and heard in Ulster, however, made him realise that the question is a very real one.

A Suggestion.

Colonel England came back to London with his opinions unchanged, but with a very real sense of the industry, generosity and patriotism of the people who owe allegiance to the Northern Ireland Government. Colonel England, in connection with his statement, makes a suggestion which I have heard put forward on several occasions of late. He says that, in common with the other members of the Ulster delegation, he would welcome an opportunity of studying the boundary question from the Free State side of the border and of seeing something of the constructive work which Mr. Cosgrave and his colleagues are doing.

The Paris Embassy.

There are rumours that a change is probable at the British Embassy in Paris. Lord Crewe, it is said, is finding his health affected by the strain imposed by the many communications which have been passing between the British and French Governments. He has been so conspicuously successful in carrying out his task, often of a distinctly delicate character, that his departure from the post would be regretted by the Government. In Paris he has remained extremely popular, even though British and French politics did not tend in the same direction. Should a vacancy occur in the Ambassadorship, Lord Thompson, the present Air Minister, is spoken of as a possible successor of Lord Crewe.

The Helicopter.

Few machines have been more closely guarded than the helicopter invented by Mr. Louis Brennan, which is now reported to have made a successful flight in a vertical direction. The scene of the experiments is the old balloon shed at South Farnborough, a huge structure originally used as a shelter for the dirigible airships, of which the Gamma and Beta were the best known on account of their frequent flights to London. Nobody outside those concerned in the work and Air Ministry officials has succeeded in entering the shed, but there is a belief that a great advance has recently been made in the problem of vertical flight.

THE ARMY INQUIRY.

EXISTENCE OF TWO SECRET SOCIETIES.

CAUSE OF "THE MUTINY."

GENERAL MULCAHY'S CRITICISM OF REPORT.

The report of the Committee which inquired into "the facts and matters which caused or led up to the indiscipline and mutinous or insubordinate conduct lately manifested in the Army" was presented to the Dail yesterday.

The Committee reports that two secret organisations existed in the Army. The "old I.R.A.," which "brought about the late mutiny," existed at least in embryo in 1922. Its members contemplated the use of the Army "for the purpose of imposing their views upon the civil Government."

"While," says the report, "we are completely satisfied that there would have been no mutiny but for the existence of this organisation, we are equally satisfied that its activities were intensified by the revival or reorganisation of the I.R.B. . . . We consider that the reorganisation of the I.R.B., carried out as it appears to have been by the actual heads of the Army, was a disastrous error of judgment."

The Committee suggests that the attestation of all officers and soldiers should include a declaration similar to that at present demanded from the Civic Guard with regard to secret societies.

Mutinous conduct, the Committee says, was confined almost exclusively to senior officers, and had no support among junior officers, non-commissioned officers, or the rank and file.

GENERAL MULCAHY'S PROPOSALS.

The Visitors' Gallery (writes our Political Correspondent) was crowded in every quarter when General Mulcahy rose in the Dail last night to open the discussion on the Report of the Army Inquiry Committee. Most of the visitors were apparently officers or ex-officers of the Army, and they followed the desultory debate with evident interest.

There seemed to be a marked disinclination on the part of the majority of the Deputies to listen to any further "revelations" or "disclosures," but, for all that, it is obvious that the last has not been heard of the recent mutiny.

General Mulcahy, who is anxious that any charges, either formulated or suggested, against the late members of the Army Council should be the subject of a full and open investigation, intimated during the discussion last night that he would by means of three separate motions ask the Dail to be the final court of arbitration in the matter.

The three motions will ask for the re-instatement respectively of General McMahon, Lieutenant-General O'Muirthuile, and Lieutenant-General O'Sullivan in their old positions. These motions will, in all probability, be tabled within the next fortnight, and are likely to give rise to lengthy debates.

THE REPORT.

RESERVATION BY THE CHAIRMAN.

The Committee which was appointed on April 3rd held forty-one meetings and examined twenty-seven witnesses. It consisted of the following:—Mr. James Creed Meredith, K.C. (Chairman); Mr. Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C.; Mr. Patrick McGilligan, Minister of Industry and Commerce; Major Bryan Cooper, and Mr. D. J. Gorey.

The terms of reference were set out in the following letter from President Cosgrave:—

To inquire into and report to the Executive Council upon the facts and matters which have caused or led up to the indiscipline and mutinous or insubordinate conduct lately manifested in the National Army and generally to investigate and report upon the state of discipline prevailing amongst all ranks in the Army, and any facts or circumstances adversely affecting discipline, as, for example, the existence of factions, conspiracies, secret societies, or political organisations, or groups amongst the officers and men, the considerations determining and making of promotions or appointments. And to enquire and report whether the discontent amongst certain officers and men shown in the recent threat of mutiny and insubordination is justly [illegible] fairly attributed to "muddling, mismanagement, and incompetence in the administration of the Army." And in addition, to report on such specific matters and reply to such specific queries as may from time to time be referred to the Committee by the Executive Coun[cil].

On June 7th the Committee's report was submitted to the President with a letter from the Chairman, Mr. Creed Meredith. The letter stated:—

After many protracted sittings, and after giving full and patient consideration to the large volume of evidence produced before us I am pleased to say that we have been able to agree to the various findings and statements contained in the Report as to the matters that come within the scope of our terms of reference. The Report is unanimous; but I have felt obliged to make my concurrence subject to a reservation as to completeness. In the course of a couple of days I shall submit such addenda as I feel would be necessary if my own personal views are to be adequately reflected. I most sincerely trust that the result of our labours may be to give the Cabinet the information which it requires, and assist in dealing satisfactorily with the situation which has arisen.

The following introductory note to the Report is given by the Executive Council:—

The Executive Council herewith presents to the Dáil the Report of the Army Enquiry Committee. The Report has been signed by the five members of the Committee, subject, however, in the case of the Chairman, to a reservation as to completeness.

A document stating the Chairman's reservation has been received by the Executive Council. The Executive Council has decided not to publish the evidence, and as the Chairman's reservation as to completeness contains portions of the evidence, it is not proposed to publish it.

NAMES SUPPRESSED.

The Committee mentions that the names of the witnesses at the inquiry were set out in a schedule. "If the report is published," it adds, "the schedule can be omitted, as some of the witnesses may not desire to have their names appear as having given evidence." The schedule mentioned does not accompany the copies of the report circulated.

The initial stages of the inquiry, the report says, were subject to a certain amount of inevitable delay, due to the fact that no person appeared before the Committee to undertake the conduct of a case in support of definitely formulated charges, or even to supply the Committee with a list of useful and available witnesses.

Mr. M. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Corrigan and Corrigan) appeared for General Mulcahy, and Mr. Cecil Lavery (similarly instructed) appeared for General Sean McMahon, Lieutenant-General Gerald O'Sullivan, and Lieutenant-General Sean O Muirthuile.

"At the outset the Committee invited them to furnish immediate statements giving their version of the genesis of the recent mutiny and the information at their disposal as to the existence of secret organisations within the Army, such statements to be afterwards supplemented in any way necessary, but this invitation was definitely refused. In these circumstances, and as the witnesses who laid the foundations of the evidence necessarily took some time to collect their materials and prepare their statements, the accumulation of evidence was a slower process than might otherwise have been expected. Considerable assistance was, however, received from the valuable statements, memoranda and materials supplied by Mr. O'Connor, Secretary to the Ministry for Defence.

"No person (save the members of the late Army Council, who were in the position of defending themselves against charges) was professionally represented or attended otherwise than as a witness for the purpose of giving his own evidence for the assistance of the Committee."

The Committee endeavoured to procure the attendance of all witnesses who seemed likely to give material assistance to it. In the net result there was "sufficient concurrence and convergence of testimony" to enable the Committee to feel that its investigations had been sufficiently exhaustive, and that its conclusions could hardly be disturbed by the evidence of any witnesses who had not appeared before it.

IMPORTANT FACTORS.

The report goes on:—

3. The number of officers which it was found necessary to demobilise, the difficulty of providing civilian employment for those discharged, the undoubted claims which so many officers had to recognition for past services in the national cause, the fact that in the selection of officers for a permanent establishment, organised so as to be suitable alike for peace conditions and for the activities of a force operating as a trained and regular army, it was found necessary to take education and an Officers' Board, consisting of four General

other qualifications into consideration as well as pre-Truce services; the past history of the Army, the inevitable growth of domestic and local influences and attachments in a force organised on a territorial basis; and the fact that the interval between the cessation of hostilities and the promulgation of a demobilisation scheme gave opportunities for the development of a certain amount of organised opposition to demobilisation; the fact that there had not been sufficient time to allow of the development of a non-political and purely soldier type of mind in the Army, and that circumstances, during such time as there was, had been peculiarly unfavourable for any such development; were all factors that conspired to put a very severe strain on Army administration.

"It was unfortunate that financial considerations necessitated the preparation of a large scheme of demobilisation at high pressure, under which it was impossible to give minute consideration to every individual case. We believe that in all the circumstances the Army Council honestly endeavoured to deal fairly with the question of demobilisation.

CAUSE OF MUTINY.

ACTIVITIES OF A SECRET SOCIETY.

Reporting on the "facts and matters which have caused or led up to the late mutiny," the Committee says:—

5. In our opinion the evidence presented to us has established the following facts, all of which caused or led up to the late mutiny:—

6. That the organisation which brought about, and many members of which joined in, the late mutiny was in existence, at least in embryo, before the outbreak of the civil war, and that many of the officers who mutinied, and of those who encouraged and abetted them, had become a problem to General Collins before his death in August, 1922.

7. That after the event they drew more and more closely together for the furtherance of their own objects, which were partly personal and partly political.

8. That the organisation of which they were members did not regard the Army as a non-political servant of the State, but as an engine to be used, if necessary, and to be kept in a condition to be used for the purpose of obtaining personal and political objectives.

9. That they contemplated the use of the Army, so controlled, for the purpose of imposing their views upon the Civil Government.

10. That, in furtherance of their objects they regarded it as essential that the Army should be officered or controlled by men of, or in sympathy with, their views, and especially that ex-British officers should be eliminated, and both these objects are prominently advanced in the documents emanating from the group or organisation, and the expressions used by their spokesmen at interviews.

11. That the complaint put forward by many of those who were concerned in the mutiny was, not that they had not office, but that they had not power in the Army.

12. That the group acted more or less in concert; that they were not in general amenable to discipline, and that some, at least, of the individuals who composed it were not qualified for the positions which they considered they should receive.

13. They attempted to dictate to G.H.Q. and to the Government upon Army administration, putting forward claims as a group, and relying upon their organised force in support of their contentions.

14. That their objects, and the methods by which they desired and attempted to achieve them, were wholly incompatible with discipline and the obedience which an Army must render to the Government of any Constitutional State.

RIVAL ORGANISATION.

"While we are completely satisfied that there would have been no mutiny but for the existence of this organisation, we are equally satisfied that its activities were intensified by the revival or reorganisation of the I.R.B., with the encouragement of certain members of the Army Council, the lack of confidence and want of intercourse between these two sections of Army officers, and the failure of both to appreciate their position as servants of the State.

15. General O Murthuile has stated to us that the I.R.B. was originally re-organised to prevent the irregulars from getting control of it if it were left derelict, and using its name to stir up disaffection against the State, but we are satisfied that the old I.R.A. group regarded the re-organisation as directed against them, and were confirmed in this belief by the fact that none of them were allowed to share in the control of the reorganised I.R.B. We consider that the reorganisation of the I.R.B., carried out, as it appears to have been, by the actual heads of the Army, was a disastrous error of judgment, and accentuated a mutiny which might not have occurred at all, and which could have been more firmly suppressed if those in authority had not weakened their position by leaving themselves open to the charge of acting in the interest of a hostile secret society.

16. It has not been proved to us that any appointments or promotions were made by reason of membership of, or influence corruptly exercised by the I.R.B., and those most concerned repudiated the charge. The difficulty of direct proof in this connection is obvious. There was, however, a natural suspicion on the part of non-members that the I.R.B. had and exercised influence in these matters, and this suspicion undermined confidence in the impartiality of the Army Council and the higher commands.

17. Suspicion concerning demobilisations and promotion was also occasioned by distrust of

Officers Commanding, which was originally set up to deal with these matters.

"In fact, though it was not generally known, this Board had only dealt with about 120 cases when it was dissolved. The 120 cases were all reconsidered by the Army Council, and a new Board, comprising the members of the Army Council and all the General Officers Commanding, was constituted instead.

18. The attitude of the I.R.A. Organisation towards the heads of the Army, who were believed by it to be adverse to its ideals, and to disregard the claims of its members, became more hostile after the re-organisation of the I.R.B., and the exclusion of its members from the governing body of the re-organised I.R.B. widened the breach between the two sections of Army officers.

MINISTER'S LETTER.

"The leaders of this organisation believed that they had been tricked by the late Minister of Defence when, after entering into negotiations with them in July, 1923, and giving them a written assurance in the following terms:—

27th July, 1923.

To
Major-General Tom Cullen.

A Chara,—Following our discussion of the 23rd instant, and in reply to your communication of the 25th instant, which reached me to-day, this note will assure you that:

(1) I am quite prepared to deal directly at any time with any three representatives of those I have recently met for the consideration of any representations they may wish to make on "matters which are considered vital to the progress of the Army on national lines with a view to the complete independence of Ireland"—it being understood that this is, of necessity, a personal and private arrangement, and not indicative of sectionalism of any kind in the Army.

(2) I am quite prepared to see any individual of those I have already met who may wish to make representations in this matter.

(3) And that I am quite prepared, after the recent discussion, to accredit all concerned with "having absolute honesty of purpose and ideals."

I have seen sufficient disaster brought about by isolation and misunderstanding to be determined not to leave anything undone that may be possible on my part, to prevent either one or the other coming between men whose co-operation have made the present position of the country possible.

Beir beannacht,
(Signed) R. UA MAOLCHATHA.

"He held no further communication with them, and did not reply to the representation which was put forward on their behalf.

19. The first overt act of the mutiny was the refusal of a number of officers to accept demobilisation papers at the Curragh, and the other events all followed thereon.

"These officers were courtmartialled and sentenced to dismissal, but the decision of the courtmartial was quashed upon a technical ground. A new courtmartial was directed, which would almost inevitably have pronounced a similar decision to that arrived at by the former one, but instead of permitting it to proceed, the mutinous officers were persuaded or permitted to accept their demobilisation papers. In our opinion, this cannot be said to have caused or led up to a mutiny which had already commenced, but it may have influenced subsequent mutineers by producing the impression that mutinous conduct would not be severely punished.

DISCIPLINE.

A "STEADY IMPROVEMENT."

In the second part of the terms of reference the Committee was asked "to report upon discipline generally, and, as incident thereto, to report upon several subordinate matters which are specified as examples of circumstances which do, or may, adversely affect discipline." In this connection, it says:—

20. The general state of discipline in the Army appears to be fairly satisfactory, and, with the exception of a small outbreak of indiscipline immediately after the cessation of hostilities, not unnatural in the circumstances, there appears to have been a steady improvement both in discipline and efficiency from the formation of the Army down to the present date.

21. There was a feeling prevalent in some quarters that efficiency was not a predominant factor in deciding questions of promotion or retention, while others considered that sufficient weight was not given to pre-Truce service. These suspicions led to slackness and indiscipline.

22. The existence of secret societies, factions and political organisations undoubtedly did affect discipline among officers, especially by undermining the confidence of Army officers in the impartiality of their superiors. The mere existence of such suspicion, whether well-founded or not, is antagonistic to the welfare of any institution, especially one which depends upon personal discipline, and we are strongly of opinion that the attestation of all officers and soldiers should include a declaration similar to that at present demanded from a Civic Guard.

ALLEGED MUDDLING.

CHARGE AGAINST CHIEF OF STAFF NOT JUSTIFIED.

The third part of the terms of reference was "to report whether the discontent shown in the recent threat of mutiny is justly attributed to muddling, mismanagement, and incompetence in the administration of the Army." The Committee says:—

23. It has been clearly established that the recent mutinous conduct was confined almost exclusively to senior officers, and that it had no support among junior officers, N.C.O.'s, or the rank and file. In our opinion this is highly creditable to those ranks, who had endured great hardship and had borne the brunt of the campaign.

24. No evidence was given before us to justify a charge of muddling, mismanagement or incompetence on the part of the late Chief-of-Staff in carrying out his duties.

25. We have already dealt with the actions of the late Quartermaster-General in connection with the reorganisation of the I.R.B. No other charge relevant to our inquiry was made against him.

26. It was suggested that the late Adjutant-General condoned or connived at insubordination by failing to punish it in the case of highly-placed officers. The principal instance was the Kenmare case. In dealing with that the Adjutant-General strictly followed the advice of his legal adviser, the Judge Advocate-General. He put the case in train for a courtmartial, and he was no party to dropping the proceedings. The failure to secure the attendance of the Civic Guard at the courtmartial in the Mayo case was not in our opinion intentional, and was not attributable to negligence on the part of the Army authorities or a desire on their part to shield a military offender

27. General Mulcahy accepted full responsibility for the decision to drop the Kenmare case.

"In our opinion this was a grave error of

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LIBERAL MEMBER AND ULSTER.

"GROSSLY MISLEADING REPORT."

Colonel A. England, M.P., who was a member of the deputation of members of Parliament who went to Ulster last week, authorises the following statement:—

"I regret to find that some statements of mine in Ulster last week are being made the subject of what looks like anti-Free State propaganda in the Press. The statements entirely misrepresent what I said, and any assertion to the effect that I am a convert to Ulster views, if by that is meant that I have ceased to believe in the principle of self-government for all Ireland, and in the settlement accomplished by the Treaty, is entirely inaccurate. What I said had reference not to politics, but to people. I said I had gone to Ulster with life-long prejudices against the Ulster people. What I saw and heard made me realise that the Ulster question is a very real question. My sympathies and admiration were evoked for the people I saw, and with whom we discussed the question of the ratification of the boundary. They were tolerant and disposed to accommodation, and they presented their case with fairness and moderation. But I have always been, and still am, an unrepentent believer in self-government for Ireland, and although I came back from Ulster with a very real sense of the industry, generosity, and patriotism of the people, who owe allegiance to the Northern Government, my political principles on this question have undergone no alteration whatever.

"I may add that personally, in common, I believe, with other members of the deputation, I should welcome an opportunity of studying the boundary question from the other side of the border, and of seeing something of the constructive work which Mr. Cosgrave and his colleagues are doing. I am only making this statement in view of the widespread circulation of a grossly misleading report."

"GERMANY MUST DISARM."

NEW FRENCH PREMIER'S POLICY.

DIRECT TAXATION.

GERMANY AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Tuesday.

There was no mistaking the attitude of the Chamber when M. Herriot rose to-day to read the usual message from the new President of the Republic. The Left stood up and greeted him with prolonged cheering. The Opposition sat in absolute silence. The reading of M. Doumergue's message was many times interrupted by applause, and this was most marked at his references to Germany.

The Experts' report, he said, seemed to promise an early solution of the Reparations problem, but the conciliatory spirit of France must not allow her to relax her vigilance or to relinquish the control given her by the Treaties on a Germany prepared for revenge instead of seeking to keep the promises signed by her.

M. Herriot devoted his Ministerial statement, first to domestic policy, and then to the relations of France abroad.

He began by announcing that the French Army was to be re-organised, and the term of military service reduced. This was followed immediately, however, by an unmistakable warning. His Government, said M. Herriot, would defend the Treaty rights of France. France had a right to reparations, and she asked for them in the name of justice. Nevertheless, as soon as Germany came into line in regard to reparations, and to France's security, her entry into the League of Nations would depend on herself alone.

"We are hostile," continued M. Poincaré's successor, "to the policy of isolation and of force, which leads to occupations and territorial pledges, but, seeing the actual condition of Germany, and the necessity of protecting France and other peoples against the new offensive on the part of Nationalists and Germanism, we do not believe it is possible to evacuate the Ruhr before the pledges provided for by the experts have been received.

"In the interests of peace, we think also that the disarmament of Germany must be supervised by the common effort of the Allies, and, as soon as possible, by the action of the League of Nations. We shall have to solve the problem of security by guarantees, under control of the League."

In another passage, M. Herriot said that the Government would do all that in them lay to fortify the League, and they would endeavour to strengthen the bond between France and her Allies and friends.

"We shall strive to understand their interests and their needs, and ask them to understand ours. We shall prove France's loyalty and desire for peace so thoroughly that they will agree with us to assure those guarantees of security proposed in the experts' reports."

In a short passage, M. Herriot made known that he was preparing to resume relations with Russia. He spoke sympathetically of the Russian people's sufferings in the war, but was less precise upon this subject than upon others. There is no doubt he will wish to learn from Mr. Macdonald what was the course of the Anglo-Russian negotiations in London.

It is supposed that the reduction of military service to be proposed to the Chamber will be to one year from the present eighteen months.

Other measures announced were:—

Withdrawal of the Embassy from the Vatican (which provoked violent protest from a section of the Right).

A general amnesty (from which traitors and incorrigibles will be excluded).

The abolition of the recently elected decree laws.

The permission to civil servants to combine in trade unions and professional associations.

Reform of the electoral law.

Return to the single-member constituency.

Alsace and Lorraine to become French departments, with the general application of the French laws.

Old age and sickness pensions.

Secondary education to be thrown open to poor children.

The Premier realises that the carrying out of such a programme must meet with many difficulties, and that without financial reform it cannot be carried out at all.

His Government, he said, would proceed first of all to a rigorous stocktaking, which must be accomplished before its first Budget was introduced. Equilibrium would be maintained; new checks would be put on expenditure; and income tax, properly applied, would be made the foundation of a truly democratic system of taxation.

With the next Budget direct taxation would be readjusted in such a way as to lighten the burdens on foodstuffs and to give stability to the resources of the Treasury; the floating debt would be reduced, and the public would be asked to subscribe to a comprehensive scheme of consolidation.

THUNDER AND RAIN.

VIOLENT STORM IN DUBLIN.

A violent thunderstorm broke over Dublin between 8 and 9 o'clock last night. Loud peals of thunder and vivid flashes of lightning were followed at intervals by torrential rain. The atmospheric disturbances became very intense towards midnight, and then gradually died away.

DUBLIN SHIPYARDS.

POSITION "STILL HOPEFUL."

In connection with the proposed re-opening of the two Dublin shipyards, a meeting of the Shipyard Workers' Section of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union last night arrived at a decision which will be communicated to a conference between the parties concerned at the Ministry of Industry and Commerce to-day.

No statement regarding the decision was issued, but the Press were informed that the position was "still hopeful."

A meeting of the Engineering Union, which is also affected by the dispute, will be held to-morrow night.

NO DATE FOR LIQUOR BILL.

BOUNDARY DEBATE IN THE DAIL TO-DAY.

(FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.)

No definite day has been allotted for the second reading of the Liquor Bill in the Dail. The measure has been on the agenda every day almost for the last week, but although much progress was made with yesterday's orders, enough business still precedes the Liquor Bill to delay the second reading until to-morrow, or possibly Friday.

The debate on Mr. Milroy's motion relative to the boundary question will be resumed to-day. The President's reply to-day will probably conclude the discussion.

The Senate will re-assemble to-day after a week's adjournment.

AMERICAN TRAIN ROBBERY.

MAIL BAGS DISCOVERED.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

A mud-covered motor car has been found hidden on a farm near Joliet, Illinois. It contained twenty-five sacks of mail. It is regarded by the police as being connected with the "hold up" of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul express last week, the perpetrators of which came and went in motor cars.

Some men have already been arrested in connection with the case.—(Reuter.)

BOUNTIES FOR IRISH.

REPLY TO CRITICISMS OF INTERMEDIATE RULES.

The Free State Ministry of Education has issued the following statement:—

"The attacks on the provision for Irish in the Intermediate Rules and Regulations for 1924-25 are directed against two sections—(1) the section that provides a bonus for the teaching of other subjects through Irish, and (2) the section that states that it is the intention of the Minister of Education that Irish should be a compulsory subject for the Intermediate Certificate four years hence.

"The argument used against these sections is that they mean the penalising of Protestant schools. This argument, when examined, will be found to be of little weight, since most of the Protestant Intermediate schools teach Irish at present, and the fact that Irish is a compulsory subject for the Civil Service Commission examinations means that in a year or two all will have to teach it, apart from any Intermediate regulations, unless they intend to penalise their pupils who seek positions in the Civil Service of the Free State.

ACCEPTING FACTS.

"The Intermediate Regulations merely propose to accept existing facts, and in order to do this in a manner that will be absolutely fair to all, they give the very ample period of four years' notice beforehand to the very few Protestant schools that have not yet introduced Irish into their curriculum. Long before then the compulsory Irish in the Civil Service examinations, and elsewhere, will have induced all Protestant schools to teach Irish, unless they intend to bring up all their pupils purely for export to England and elsewhere. The Intermediate Regulations do not propose, even in four years' time, to go as far as the Civil Service Commission examinations do already, for the latter make Irish compulsory at every grade of examination—Primary, Intermediate, Secondary, and University—whereas the Intermediate Regulations for examination only propose to make Irish compulsory for the Intermediate Leaving Certificate examination at the age of 16, and leave the candidates for the Senior Leaving Certificate examination free to take it or not, as they choose.

"This outcry against the proposal to make Irish a necessary subject in Irish schools, after the fullest and fairest notice, is all the more extraordinary, since it comes from a group of people who have hitherto accepted gladly all sorts of other compulsory subjects in the old Intermediate examinations, and in the Universities, without the slightest protest, and whose objection to compulsion is expressed only when it is a question of Irish being put on a level with other compulsory subjects in Irish schools, after the fullest notice given to everybody.

A THREE YEARS' OPPORTUNITY.

"The schools that are supposed to be penalised by the new provisions for Irish are those that prepare their pupils for entrance to Dublin University. Those who object to these provisions have three years in which to prove to the Irish people that, while it is right and proper that Dublin University should compel Irish boys and girls to take English and English history, and Latin and mathematics, etc., before they are permitted to matriculate, and so become eligible for its degrees, distinctions and money awards, it would be quite unnatural that the same students should, at any stage of their Intermediate course, be required by an Irish Government to obtain some knowledge of the Irish language, which is one of the official languages of their country.

THE BONUS QUESTION.

"As regards the giving of a bonus for the teaching of subjects through Irish, it has been the constant practice of Educational Departments, University Colleges, etc., here and elsewhere, to give a bonus for the encouragement of special subjects in schools and colleges. There seems no reason why an Irish Government should not give such a bonus for the revival of the Irish language.

"Very few schools, Catholic or Protestant, will, however, get this bonus for the present, since, before any school can be admitted into the groups A and B of schools that are eligible for the bonus, it will have to pass a very strict test in Irish, and in the qualifications of its teachers to teach subjects through Irish, and in the capacity of its pupils to receive instruction through that language. Very few schools will be able to pass such a test for many years to come.

"If a Protestant school wishes to belong to one of the groups that specialises in teaching subjects through Irish, there is no obstacle whatever in its way. In fact, it is very likely that in a few years these groups will contain their due proportion of Protestant schools."

THE NEW PROGRAMME FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

A HEADMASTER'S PROTEST.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The new programme for secondary schools involves some very material changes which should claim the serious consideration not only of the teaching profession, but also of every Irishman of intelligence who is concerned for the development and progress of his country. It has, indeed, many merits as compared with the old "Intermediate." It abolishes payment of "results fees," it greatly reduces the unwieldy system of public examinations, and it gives the schools greater freedom and scope for initiative in the choice of courses and grading of pupils. But it has also what seem to many of us to be grave defects—so grave, indeed, that it must be a matter for the consideration of some schools whether they will remain in the national secondary system at all or preserve their liberty by sacrificing financial assistance from the State.

I have no wish to occupy your space by a detailed criticism of the prescribed courses. On the whole, they tend towards modern methods of teaching, in spite of a somewhat Ptolemaic attitude of regarding Ireland as the hub of the universe and of neglecting the fact that the Irish are cosmopolitan as well as national, and a power in other lands and governments than our own. So I shall confine myself to three main defects of the new proposals.

In the first place, the use of the Irish language for instruction in all subjects is to be endowed by a 25 *per cent.* increase of grants. It is doubtful whether many schools will be able to claim this grant. It is still more doubtful whether the language will provide an adequate technical medium for advanced teaching in, say, science or philology or classical criticism or higher mathematics. Is it, for example, seriously proposed to publish Irish translations of all the leading text-books in these subjects, as used in the advanced classes of secondary schools for the benefit only of those schools which elect to teach through Irish and only of those pupils in such schools who attain to advanced classes? It appears as if State endowment of the publishing trade will be inevitable. Furthermore, a pupil who has attained his knowledge of advanced subjects through the medium of Irish will be quite unable to pursue them at the universities unless a similar procedure is adopted for them. Even if this is found to be possible—a big "if"—he will be obliged to confine himself entirely to Southern Ireland in his search for a professional career.

Secondly, from 1928 onwards Irish is to be an essential subject for the certificate examinations, and, from 1930, science. This will mean that, from the latter year, the following subjects will be compulsory for secondary schools:—Irish, one "modern language" (which will, presumably, be English in most cases), mathematics, history and geography, and science. All pupils presenting themselves for examination must learn all these, and then only will they be permitted to engage in such subsidiary and unimportant studies as French or German or Latin or Greek or commerce or music or drawing. We shall be virtually cut off from the stream of European culture and from the classical traditions which are the basis of modern civilisation and the best corrective of its defects. Again, we must ask, can a school which has any educational principles consent to such a programme? Science has a great and increasing value in education—a value, perhaps, not so entirely cultural and disinterested as some of its votaries would claim—but to make its study compulsory for all students presenting themselves for examination, irrespective of tastes or abilities, is going a little far, and seems a surprisingly Prussian result of our new liberty.

Lastly, supposing that a school feels itself unable to present pupils for the certificate examination on such terms, is it seriously proposed that, when its policy is known, in a year or two after 1928 it will be declared inefficient, however excellently it may teach, and will be deprived of any State assistance, however well it may have deserved of the State in the past; and that its teachers, after years of loyal service to their school and country in an arduous and little-rewarded profession, will be deprived of whatever salary scale and pension they may at last have attained? It seems hardly credible; yet it is explicitly foreshadowed in the published programme.—Yours, etc.,

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Warden of St. Columba's College.

College of St. Columba, Rathfarnham,
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GENERAL SMUTS DEFEATED.

SOUTH AFRICAN ELECTION SURPRISES.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

JOHANNESBURG, Tuesday.

The General Election to-day caused more excitement than has been seen on any polling day since the establishment of the Union. Reports from various centres state that the voting has everywhere been exceptionally heavy. In Johannesburg over 2,000 motor cars were in use.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

One of the first results announced was the defeat of General Smuts in Pretoria West. The figures were:—Mr. Hay (Labour), 1,407; General Smuts (S.A.P.), 1,022.

Another notable S.A.P. defeat is that of Sir Abe Bailey, at Krugersdorp, by 376.

Mr. Alexander (Constitutional Democrat) won Cape Town (Hanover street) by a narrow majority, and the South African Party had a gain at Gardens.

A Nationalist gain resulted in Pretoria Central, where Mr. Rooth, Chairman of Committees, was defeated by 53 votes.

The former Minister, Mr. Jagger, was returned for Capetown Central by a majority of 1,379.

Dr. Onnean, Minister for the Interior and Education, was returned for Yeoville by a majority of 927.

Colonel Creswell, the Labour leader, won Denver, with 1,550 votes, against 800 polled for P. V. Alexander (S.A.P.) and 23 for S. Scott (Independent Labour).

The South African Party secured a gain at Stamford Hill, the former constituency of the Labour leader, Colonel Creswell, with a majority of 326 votes.

The polling on the Rand showed increased Labour and Nationalist votes, Labour winning Turffontein over the Independents. At Umbile there was a Labour gain. North-East Rand, Springs, and Boksburh have been won by Labour.

From the gains and losses announced up to midnight—South African Party 3, Labour 7, Nationalist 3, Independents 1—it is difficult to see how the Government can secure a majority.

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS.

NEW PROGRAMME IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

The Northern Ministry of Education has issued the new programme of instruction which will come into operation on the 1st July, but should this for any reason be found impracticable in any school, its introduction will not be obligatory until 1st July, 1925.

In a prefatory note under the head of "Moral and Religious Instruction," it is stated that religious instruction has in the past been given by teachers in the elementary schools in Northern Ireland. While the giving of such instruction is not, under the Education Act, obligatory on the teachers, it is, in the opinion of the Ministry, desirable that teachers who have no conscientious objection to giving religious instruction should continue to do so. . . . It is of the utmost importance that all children should be well grounded during their school career in the moral principles upon which the formation of character and the proper training for the responsibilities of life depend.

The formation of good habits is one of the most important functions of an elementary school, and in regard to this it should be borne in mind that example is far more potent than precept. A special responsibility, therefore, rests on the teachers.

KINDNESS TO ANIMALS.

An official commentary on the new programme says:—

"The programme, as now revised, lays much more stress than heretofore upon what is described as 'moral instruction'—*i.e.*, the teaching of honour and truthfulness, of respect and consideration for others, of cheerful obedience to duty, and the formation of good habits and manners, with due regard for cleanliness and neatness. It also calls upon the teachers to instruct their pupils in the duty of kindness to animals, and it emphasises the great importance of regular instruction in 'temperance and hygiene,' which has been given a place amongst the obligatory subjects."

The Ministry believes that the time has come for a much more definite place for citizenship and economics in elementary school studies. In the sixth standard a well-written text book on citizenship, and in the seventh standard a suitable elementary text-book on economics must be studied.

HISTORY AND IRISH.

The division of the subjects of the programme into obligatory and optional is a much-needed improvement in view of reiterated complaints that the old programme was overloaded—*e.g.*, history is now an optional subject in primary schools. In view of the peculiar difficulty of teaching history in Ireland, as also of the well-entertained doubt of its suitability as a subject for elementary school instruction, this will probably not be regarded as a loss, since citizenship has been retained and simple economics has come into the programme.

Grammar, a somewhat neglected subject, has been given rather more prominence by being included, in very simple form, of course, in the programme of the third standard.

The course in arithmetic has undergone some minor and useful modifications directed towards the introduction of simple money calculations, with which many of the pupils will already be familiar, at an earlier stage than hitherto.

In history, the programme has been much altered, Empire and European history being now given a place in the course for the seventh standard.

The course in geography has been modernised to bring it into line with the most recent development of ideas regarding the teaching of that branch, and this applies also to the courses in Nature study, physical science, singing, algebra, geometry, French and Latin. Irish is mentioned as an optional subject.

COLLISION IN FOG.

17 DROWNED IN NORWEGIAN FIORD.

CHRISTIANIA, Tuesday.

As the result of the collision in a dense fog last night in the West Fiord between the steamers King Harald and Haakon Jarl, seventeen persons were drowned, including five of the crew of the latter.

The accident occurred when the King Harald was steaming slowly ahead through the fog. It struck the Haakon Jarl, which had stopped its engine, on the starboard side, and the latter sank in five minutes. The damage to the King Harald was insignificant.

Boats were lowered immediately from both steamers, but the first boat from the Haakon Jarl capsized, and several passengers, who were in their cabins, went down with the vessel. All the persons who perished were Norwegians, except one, a Dane.—(Reuter.)

SOUTH TYRONE UNIONISTS.

A meeting of the delegates of South Tyrone Unionist Association, held in Aughnacloy, passed a resolution expressing satisfaction at the determined and skilful action of Sir James Craig and his colleagues in combatting the latest effort to deprive His Majesty's loyal subjects in the border counties of the rights and liberties they enjoy; and reiterating their determination, on no conditions, to be subject to the Government of the Free State.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

PREFERENCE PROPOSALS.

A SUGGESTIVE DEBATE.

In a leading article upon the first night of the debate in Parliament on Mr. Baldwin's resolutions for fulfilling the Preference proposals of last year's Imperial Conference, *The Times* observes:—In much of Mr. Thomas's speech it really seemed as if his heart was not in his case. When he argued that it was anti-democratic and inconsistent with our Constitution to suggest that a Government could bind its successors, he was, of course, asserting an irrelevant truism for the controversial ends of party. But he showed a sense of realities when he said that it would be a grievous error to treat the question under debate as "a sort of debit and credit account," and when he recalled how all parties of the Empire rallied to the Mother Country in the war. He showed a much truer sense of Dominion sentiment when he asked the House to consider the hardships imposed upon Dominion statesmen by the existing Conference system than when he quoted carefully selected passages from Dominion politicians to prove that the Dominions attend to their own interests in their fiscal policy. Of course they do. That has never been denied. What is denied very vehemently by the Dominions, and with conviction by multitudes at home, is that these interests are conflicting and incompatible.

After referring to the speech of Sir John Simon, who besought the Labour Government not to leave the "patient oxen" without guidance, *The Times* proceeds:—It will be very interesting in these circumstances to see what Mr. Lloyd George, the coiner of that phrase and of many others descriptive of the attitude of Labour towards Liberalism a few months ago, will himself have to say upon the subject which in 1917 he made peculiarly his own. When he was given the Freedom of the City in April of that year he spoke of it in words which show a true and lofty conception of its grandeur and of its urgency. He looked beyond the terrible dangers which then hung over us to the reconstruction which was in the future. He called upon us to undertake it with the large and provident generosity so high a task demands. He prayed that we should not approach it by "diving into the pigeon-holes of any party for dust-laden precedents and programmes." We should be, indeed, unworthy, he said, of "the great destiny to which Providence had called" us if we "threw all that away for the sake of any formulas that were framed before the Flood." It is consoling, at all events, to know that there are some supporters and allies of the present Government who have learned the lesson that Mr. Lloyd George was preaching so eloquently so short a time ago. They are not prepared, as one Labour member said to-day, "to follow at the tail end of an orthodox free import procession."

MEXICAN DISPUTE.

EXPULSION TO BE CARRIED OUT.

The Times New York Correspondent announces that the Mexican Foreign Ministry yesterday issued a statement in which it declared that, "as evidence of its prudence and as an example of its high consideration for the Diplomatic Corps, it has agreed in the case of the British subject, Mr. Cummins, to wait for a brief period, counting from last Saturday, for the results of the friendly intervention the Chilean Minister is making before his Government to obtain from the British Government an order for the departure of Mr. Cummins from Mexico." It was added that after a prudent period of waiting for the outcome of these negotiations the order for expulsion would be carried out. The Spanish text of the statement is not available here. The English versions telegraphed vary considerably in detail, but make it plain that the Mexican Government is standing by its decision to expel Mr. Cummins unless he is recalled in the near future. Officials of the Ministry declined yesterday to indicate how long a time is comprehended by the phrase "brief period."

RAIDERS ROUTED WITH A SMOOTHING IRON.

PLUCKY WATERFORD HOUSEHOLDER.

A couple of nights ago two men approached the residence of Mr. Patrick Phelan, at Brownswood, a remote district of Portlaw, County Waterford. They knocked on the door, and when refused admittance seized an axe and broke down the door. As they entered the house Mr. Patrick Phelan seized a flat iron, and hurled it at the nearest man, striking him in the face, and knocking him down. The second raider came to his companion's assistance, and helped him to his feet. Both escaped.

A search of the district was afterwards made by Superintendent Hallinan and Civic Guards from Waterford. Patrick Maher, Portlaw, was arrested, and was brought before Mr. Molloy, District Justice, and remanded.

SURCHARGES ON BRAY COUNCILLORS.

THE TOWN'S MILK SUPPLY.

The members of the Urban Council of Bray have received intimation that a number of surcharges have been made against them by Mr. Francis Bernard, Auditor for the Local Government Department. There is a surcharge of £1 8s. for the purchase of a Sinn Fein flag, and of £31 1s. 6d. for payment of local guards appointed to keep order in the town during the trouble in 1922.

Dr. Raverty wrote advising the Council that a more strict examination of milk, its sources and supply should be exercised in the town. There had been no supervision in the district for years.

The Town Clerk said that the difficulty was that no public analyst had been appointed by the Wicklow County Council.

BAZAAR STEWARD ROBBED.

At Fitzgerald Park, Cork, where for the past fortnight a Republican aonach, or bazaar, has been in progress, in aid of the Prisoners' Dependents Fund, the chief steward had collected money from the various stalls, amounting to nearly £40. While he was going towards the pavilion in the grounds to hand over the cash to the Committee, he was stopped near the entrance to the pavilion, at 11.30 p.m., by two men armed with revolvers and was robbed of the money.

BYFLEET WIDOW'S BANKRUPTCY

Mrs. Mabel Therese Jones, widow of Mr. Alfred Poynter Jones, of The Blue Anchor Hotel, Byfleet, who formerly carried on business as caterer at Kingston, underwent her adjourned public examination in Bankruptcy at Kingston yesterday. Liabilities were £3,718 and assets £822. The debtor stated that a sum of £250 paid to a Mr. Rawlings was for money that he had lent for the purposes of her business. She first became aware of her insolvency last November.

The examination was adjourned.

A petition, signed by over 1,800 electors in the Abbey Division of Westminster, putting forward the claims of Mr. Winston Churchill, will be presented at the Central Unionist Offices, Westminster, to-day.

Four thousand delegates, including 500 from the United States, have arrived in Glasgow to attend the World's Sunday School Convention, which opens in St. Andrew's Hall to-day.

The number of persons on the registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain on June 9 was 1,027,000, an increase of 24,085 on the previous week, but 258,623 less than on December 31.

Subject to the agreement of the States, the Federal Government intends to introduce legislation to amend the Commonwealth Industrial Laws, with a view to excluding State action in industrial matters, says a Melbourne message.

Mediocrity is more vocal and self-confident than ever before.—Dean Inge.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN DUBLIN.

COMMISSION OF INQUIRY.

THE TERMS OF REFERENCE.

The Free State Minister of Local Government and Health received a deputation from the Greater Dublin Reconstruction Movement at Government Buildings yesterday. The deputation consisted of Senator James Moran (President), Mr. W. Mills Forsyth (Chairman), Mr. Charles McGloughlin (Hon. Treasurer), and Mr. E. A. Aston (Hon. Secretary) of the movement.

The Minister, in receiving the deputation, referred to his statement published some months ago, in which he promised to consider the case then presented in support of the request for a Commission of Inquiry into local government and allied problems in the City and County of Dublin. He also referred to his statement, made upon the second-reading debate on the Local Government Bill (1924), in which he accepted the general principle of the proposal that the local affairs of Dublin City and County should be referred to a Special Commission of Inquiry for examination and report.

CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION.

Having considered various alternative methods of constituting the Commission, he had arrived at the conclusion that it should consist of members of the Oireachtas. Invitations to sit upon the Commission had been issued to certain Deputies and Senators, and he was glad to be able to announce that Professor Magennis, M.P., had agreed to undertake a very onerous and difficult public duty by acting as Chairman of the Commission. Very careful consideration had been given to the terms of reference of the Commission, and it had been decided that they should be wide enough to authorise the Commissioners to examine the whole question of local government in the City and County of Dublin, including such general public-utility services as might affect the welfare and health of the citizens.

The actual terms of reference would be:—

"To examine the several laws and the practice affecting the administration of local and public-utility services, including local representation and taxation, throughout the capital City of Dublin and the County (including the urban districts) of Dublin, and to recommend such changes as may be desirable."

AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Senator Moran, on behalf of the deputation, thanked the Minister for his statement, and said that the Committee of the Greater Dublin movement had considered in what way they could most effectively assist the Commission in its efforts to grapple with a problem the solution of which was twenty-five years overdue. Already preliminary steps had been taken to constitute voluntary advisory committees to prepare evidence and frame definite proposals for consideration by the Commission. Invitations would be issued at once to leading citizens and to recognised experts in such matters as finance, housing, transport and other public services, to act upon these advisory committees. Evidence would also be prepared as to modern developments of municipal government in various parts of the world.

The Minister expressed his satisfaction that such voluntary assistance would be forthcoming. He desired to emphasise the fact that Dublin is the State capital, and that its welfare is the special interest of all citizens of the Free State. He hoped, therefore, that the proceedings of the Commission would evoke the lively interest and assistance of the citizens of Dublin itself, and of all who wished to contribute their quota towards national security and development.

DESERVING DUBLIN CHARITY.

MAGDALEN ASYLUM, LEESON STREET.

Speaking yesterday at the Magdalen Asylum, Lower Leeson street, Dublin, on the occasion of the annual "Gift Day," the Bishop of Tuam declared that very little support was given to institutions like theirs by the country parishes, but he was glad to pay tribute to the generosity of the Dublin people, who usually put their hands more deeply into their pockets than did others. The institution was particularly deserving of support, in view of the fact that it was the only Church of Ireland institution of its kind in the Free State.

An account of the work done in the Shelter at James's street was given by Miss Bell, the honorary secretary. The Shelter, she said, had been opened 23 years. A feature of it was the number of girls they had from workrooms in the city.

Dr. Ella Webb urged that an institution like the Magdalen Asylum, which was being run on such admirable lines, was very well worthy of their support. One of the best things that the institution had done was to introduce an arrangement to allow children to stay with their mothers for a certain number of months. She could not sufficiently impress upon them the appalling fate of illegitimate children who were sent out to nurse.

"A great many people," continued Dr. Webb, "are always asking: What is the good of keeping these children alive? I quite agree that it would be a great deal kinder to strangle these children at birth than to put them out to nurse." If the children got ordinary decent care, they did well.

On the motion of Mr. Phillips, a vote of thanks was passed to the Bishop for presiding, and to the speakers for their addresses.

In addition to the reception of gifts, there was a sale of inmates' work.

BELFAST BRICK-MAKING DISPUTE.

A deputation of the Belfast Building Trade Operatives' Federation interviewed the Northern Minister of Labour yesterday, with reference to the strike in the brick-making industry. The deputation asked Mr. Andrews to call a joint conference.

Mr. Andrews, however, stated that he understood that as the employers had already discussed the position fully on two occasions with the men's representatives, they were not of opinion that a further conference would serve any useful purpose.

CHARGE OF STEALING MONEY.

YORKSHIRE MAN REMANDED.

Evidence of arrest having been heard, Isaac P. Harriss (*alias* Johnston, *alias* O'Brien), 16 Clyde Grove road, Wakefield, Yorkshire, was remanded yesterday in the Dublin Police Court on a charge of stealing £22 10s. from Mr. Max Schener, of Leinster square, Rathmines. There was a second charge of illegal possession.

Detective Mulvihill stated that when Harriss was taken into custody he ran away at Shelbourne road. Several shots were fired over his head when he refused to halt. Eventually he stopped, put up his hands, and said—"Don't shoot; I'm Irish, too." When searched at the police station he had £2 8s. 6d. and a bank book showing a credit balance of £50.

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THE ARMY INQUIRY: DEBATE IN THE DAIL.

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judgment on his part. It did not contribute to the mutiny, but it did militate against discipline generally by encouraging suspicion in the minds of officers and others that the Army Authorities were disposed to hush up charges against persons high in authority.

28. We consider that the Minister of Defence should have taken the earliest opportunity of informing the Executive Council of the proposed reorganisation of the I.R.B., and that he should also have kept the Council fully informed of the course of his negotiations with the Tobin group, and that his omission to do either of these things increased the difficulty in dealing with the mutiny.

29. We were not asked to report upon any specific matters other than those with which we have dealt, and no specific queries were referred to us by the Executive Council.

"If the Council should desire suggestions from us upon any matters which came before us in the course of our inquiry, we are willing to place our views at the disposal of the Council.

30. We desire to express our appreciation of the arduous and satisfactory work done by the official reporting staff of the Oireachtas, and in particular we desire to record our sense of the great obligations we are under to Mr. McGann, who acted as Secretary to the Committee, and gave us unremitting attention and invaluable assistance throughout the whole course of our investigation."

A footnote to the report says:—

"While agreeing with the statements and findings contained in this Report, the undersigned, J. Creed Meredith, does not feel that without some additional statements it would adequately reflect his views on the subject-matter of the Inquiry, and accordingly he is obliged to sign subject to the annexed reservation.

The reservation mentioned is not, as already stated, included in the report.

THE DEBATE.

GENERAL MULCAHY'S STATEMENT.

In the Dail yesterday Mr. Davin asked the President if he intended to make his promised statement on the Army inquiry that evening.

President Cosgrave said that the report of the Committee had only just been issued, and had not yet been considered by the Executive Council; but if it was desired he would allow time during the week in order that a statement could be made on it.

Major Cooper asked if the President could state whether the recent demobilisation of fourteen officers had been decided upon by the Executive Council in consequence of any recommendation from the Army Inquiry Committee.

The President said that it was not in consequence of the Army inquiry.

General Mulcahy asked the President to allow time that evening for him to make a statement with regard to the report of the Army Inquiry Committee, which had just been issued. It would be seen that the three gentlemen concerned in that inquiry had refrained from making any public statement on the subject, and he wanted to make his statement, so that it might not be twenty-four hours behind the publication of the report.

The President said that he would allot General Mulcahy an hour and a half that evening for his statement—that was, from 9.30 till 11 o'clock.

NATIONAL HUMILIATION.

When General Mulcahy rose, at 9.30 o'clock, to make his statement on the Army Inquiry Report, there was a well filled house, and the strangers' gallery was crowded.

General Mulcahy said that he had occasion, before the Army Committee of Inquiry, to express his personal sense of national humiliation in respect of the circumstances in which the inquiry had been called, the grudging manner in which it had been set up, and then, when it was set up, of the fact that the Ministers who had made very serious charges, or implied very serious charges against very prominent military officers in the State, did not come forward to substantiate those charges; and that these Ministers simply dealt with the scum of their very material work of the last two years. Seeing the report as it stood now, he felt that it was additional national humiliation. Realising that it was a report on a very important matter, after six weeks of cogitation by a committee who had taken two weeks to prepare their report, he felt that the report in its form was humiliating.

The Court advised the Executive that they had decided not to publish the evidence put before the Committee. There was also the Chairman's reservation. It was humiliating to learn from the President that the report had not yet been considered by the Executive Council. It was very remarkable, considering the prominence that was given to the three officers whose cases were dealt with, and considering that the report had been in existence for the past ten days. The report did, no doubt, deal especially with what the Committee called one section of officers in the Army. If the other section was understood to mean the general officers against whom such serious charges were made, the only possible statement he could find with regard to them was in the paragraph where the Committee speak of their failure to appreciate their position as servants of the State.

TWO SECTIONS.

He wanted particularly to examine paragraphs 24, 25, and 26 from the point of view of the three general officers concerned. Paragraph 14 made reference to General Sean McMahon, Lt.-General O'Sullivan and General O Muirthuille, and perhaps himself. He asked if the four of them were bracketed with what was called "the Tobin group." Why were they called two sections of Army officers? He did not know in what way their work was tinged by "the Tobin group," and could not understand why they had been so bracketed?

They had been accused of not appreciating their position as servants of the State. He had found that the three officers named were absolutely subordinate to him when he was Commander-in-Chief, and, later, as Minister for Defence. He did not think that a charge of failing to appreciate their position could be levelled against these officers, considering what they had done when the people were in danger.

That a Committee had been set up to investigate the administration of the Irish Army was a fact that came home to those who were responsible for the Irish Army during the last few years—some of whom had stood at the birth of the Army, years before. Were they to be accused of not loyally carrying out their duties?

By what mental processes, he asked, could the conclusions arrived at in paragraphs 24, 25, and 26 be arrived at? What was there suggested against the Chief of Staff by way of charge? What was the suggestion against the Adjutant-General and against the Quartermaster-General? The report was the result of awkward terms of reference. There was not the phrasing of a Justice of the Supreme Court, nor the phrasing of a Justice of a High Court. Neither was the thinking that of a soldier or of a sportsman.

Paragraph 24 stated that the Committee had no evidence to justify charges of mishandling or incompetence on the part of the late Chief of Staff in carrying out his duties. It sounded like a grudging statement of the Executive Council that they had not, unfortunately, been able to put up any case against that officer. Why could that not have been worded to show that a charge—the charge of mishandling and incompetence—could not be sustained? What would be wrong, from the point of view of any member of the Committee, if it were asked that that paragraph should be substituted for the one he had quoted?

Even taking the grudging phraseology of paragraph 24 in respect of the late Chief of Staff, he wanted to know why, in respect of the Quartermaster-General and the late Adjutant-General, the two paragraphs dealing with them should not open by the statement at least that "no evidence was given before us to justify a charge of muddling, mishandling or incompetence" in the case of either of these officers, in carrying out his duties?

MISLEADING.

He wanted next to make some comment on the report to show that it was misleading, and that no person could safely form a judgment on any matter or from any paragraph in it as it stood at present, and in the absence of the evidence which was not to be printed. Quoting paragraph 2, he asked whether there were, perhaps, others who did not want it known that they did not come forward as witnesses, persons who had charges to state or to suggest, and who, when they got an opportunity of coming forward before that Committee, did not do so.

He directed attention also to the sentence in which it was said that the Committee endeavoured to procure the attendance of witnesses who seemed likely to give material evidence. Would anybody understand from that sentence that no single General Officer Commanding any of the commands of the country was summoned before that inquiry to give evidence? One witness who came forward was an officer who had been in direct touch with the Minister for Home Affairs, behind his (General Mulcahy's) back and without his knowledge, and reported matters and complained of matters to the Minister for Home Affairs which he had not complained of to the Chief of Staff or himself.

Another witness had come forward, and in a very long exposition, which stopped short at the time of the Four Courts, showed that but for the I.R.B. standing in the way of what was his military policy and proposals at the time a civil war would not have happened at all. Another witness had come forward to show how everything should be done, now and in the future; and yet when in the very rough days of January, 1923, that officer was asked to take up the position of General Officer commanding a particular command he put forward private and personal reasons for not doing so. Such was the type of witnesses who had come forward, and one had to ask why the Committee had sent for them.

In the same paragraph it was stated that the Committee at the outset invited the three General Officers and himself to make a statement, and that its invitation was definitely refused. The report might have amplified that to say that they had not seen the charges which were suggested against them, and that, when they had seen those charges and had an opportunity of rebutting them, they would be prepared to make every possible statement that would be of assistance to the Committee.

BEGGING THE QUESTION.

Paragraph 3, he submitted, was a pretty fair vindication of the officers who were in charge of the Army. With reference to the statement that there had not been sufficient time to allow of the development of a non-political and soldierly type of mind in the Army, he said that, thanks to the efforts of the late Army Council, there had developed in the Army the non-political and soldierly type of mind, and very well, he thought, everybody realised that when they saw how the Army stood through the circumstances that gave rise to the setting-up of that Committee of Inquiry. In the last sentence of that paragraph the report said:—"We believe in all the circumstances the Army Council honestly endeavoured to deal fairly with the question of demobilisation." He thought that that was begging the question. The question was: Did they deal fairly?

In paragraph 15 the statement was made—"General O'Muirthaille has stated to us that the I.R.B. was originally reorganised to prevent the Irregulars from getting control of it if it were left derelict, and using its name to stir up disaffection against the State." He had given evidence that he was in touch with General O'Muirthaille seven days, he thought, after the burial of General Collins, in connection with affairs of the organisation that required to be dealt with immediately after his death. The paragraph quoted was all that was stated in the report with regard to General O'Muirthaille and the I.R.B.; yet in paragraph 25 it was stated by the Committee that they had already dealt fully with the subject, which was not so.

HIS RESPONSIBILITY.

Paragraph 9 spoke of the so-called organisation—the I.R.B., as a disastrous error of judgment. If there was a disastrous error of judgment in it, that error of judgment was his, and not any Army officers. It did not appear in any place in this report that the President, the Vice-President, or the Minister for Education were aware of what was called "this disastrous error of judgment" as early as June, 1923.

Paragraph 17 referred to an Officers' Board that was originally set up to deal with this matter, but would anybody reading that understand that that General Officers' Board was set up after 700 odd men had been demobilised, and would they realise that the four general officers who made the recommendations to the Army Council submitted the names of those they considered might be demobilised?

In Paragraph 18 the report said that the leaders of an organisation believed that they had been tricked, and he did not know whether that meant, or whether it suggested, powers of belief on the part of the Committee, or powers of belief on the part of the organisation.

They came then to the letter of General Tom Cullen, and he hoped that it would be understood that that letter was taken from his evidence submitted to the Committee either before Mr. McGrath made his statement in Mayo, or before certain pamphlets were published in Dublin. Would it appear to anybody reading the report that he, in putting in that letter, had put in an introduction running into 14 foolscap pages, explaining the circumstances that led up to that particular letter, and would it be understood that he wrote a sheet of foolscap explaining that letter, even down to the details of showing where these inverted commas came from and why the sentence in inverted commas was inserted in it?

DISCIPLINE.

Referring to the matter of discipline in paragraph 20, he said that discipline was a different matter in different countries—there were different stages in its development. Paragraph 22 referred to secret societies, factions and political organisations, which it said undoubtedly affected discipline among the officers.

So far as he knew, the Committee found that there were two organisations—the I.R.A. and the I.R.B.—and that they were what might be called secret societies; but the ordinary member of the Dail or the ordinary person in the street who read that sentence would not realise that after six weeks' examination of the situation the Committee found that there were these two organisations.

Regarding paragraph 24, in respect to the Quartermaster-General, he said that the late Quartermaster-General had been made the butt of lies and rumours to a very considerable extent by tongues in very high and very low places. There was no charge relevant to the inquiry made against him. Why was that sentence put in? What were the charges, if any, that were made against the Quartermaster-General? The Quartermaster-General drew attention to a large number of these things, and the Committee, to his (Mr. Mulcahy's) recollection, told him that he should not worry about them.

In the attempt made to make a case against the Adjutant-General three disciplinary cases were "trumped" up. There was, in addition to the Kenmare and Mayo cases—the Limerick case. Why was it not mentioned there? Was it because the Limerick case came into his hands personally, and that some letters of his on the file would show the way in which he was prepared to deal with the case?

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DECISION

With regard to paragraph 27, it stated that General Mulcahy accepted full responsibility for the decision in the Kenmare case. Would anyone understand that the Kenmare case was sent to the late Attorney-General for his decision, and that he gave a decision, after hearing a lengthy statement as the result of the examination, that there was not a shred of evidence against Major-General O'Daly; that there was not a shred of evidence against the second officer; only a bare shadow of evidence against the third; and that the parties who had a particular grievance in this case were advised that there were not sufficient grounds for the State to take up a prosecution, and that they had the law courts to go to with their cases?

Regarding paragraph 28, would anybody reading that paragraph understand that the three members of the Executive Council he had mentioned—the President, the Vice-President, and the Minister for Education—were, as early as June, 1923, aware of what they had done with regard to the I.R.B.?

With regard to the second portion of that paragraph, would it be inferred from the report that his introduction to General Tobin was the result of his letter to the President? And would anyone get an idea from the report that the President, the then Minister for Industry and Commerce, and, perhaps, the Minister for Home Affairs, knew as much about the Tobin group as he did?

PUBLISH THE EVIDENCE.

He made these comments to show that the report was misleading, and that the members of the Dail, and the public who wanted to know what was behind the recent happenings in the Army, should be given an opportunity of reading the evidence that had been given before the Committee, and the additional statement which the Chairman said that he had to make.

With regard to his own letter to Major-General Tom Cullen, the Chairman of the Committee suggested to him (General Mulcahy), in examination, that that letter had been written by him in order to effect his return at the General Election of August, 1923; and that the letter had been written to keep those officers off his track while the election was on. That gave him an idea of the mentality of the Chairman. Nevertheless, he said that what the Chairman had written should be known to the Dail, because, whatever had yet to be learned as the result of his action, or inaction, or want of judgment, it was to the benefit of the State that it should be learned. (Hear, hear.)

He regretted that the evidence could not be circulated and digested by the Dail for some time. It was three months since the three officers concerned in this report had been removed from their positions, under circumstances which did not require now to be detailed.

He took it that the report, if critically and conscientiously examined, was a complete vindication of those officers, and he felt that the members of the House would be satisfied that what he said was right, and that justice would be done to those officers. He asked the President and the Executive Council to realise that these three officers had been taken from their positions for political reasons; and he asked them to admit the importance of keeping the Army out of politics, and not to create a situation that every new Administration which came into office was to interfere with the *personnel* of the Army.

THREE MOTIONS.

He proposed to bring forward three motions relating to those three officers, to the effect that the Dail considers it proper in the interests of the State that these three officers should be restored to their commissions, and to the positions that were taken from them, namely:—The Chief of Staff, the Adjutant-General, and the Quartermaster-General.

He appealed to the President and the Executive Council to leave this matter to the decision of the Dail as a whole, in order that it might be dealt with in as wide and national a spirit as possible, and in order to avoid a position of which it could be said that these officers had been thrown out of their positions from the *Cumann na Gcidhal* point of view, or from a political point of view, or from any narrow point of view, whether with the desire of the President or the Minister of Justice or the late Minister for Industry and Commerce, or himself (Mr. Mulcahy) personally.

On consideration he felt that that line of action would commend itself generally.

At the opening of the Law Courts recently reference was made to the great love of justice in this country. He suggested that, in all the circumstances of the past three months, the reputation of the Government for justice and dignity was bound up with the way in which they treated this particular matter. He wanted also to emphasise the fact that he had never dealt with this matter inside the party.

Since his resignation as Minister for Defence he had not discussed the matter in party circles. As a matter of fact he had not attended any party meetings, and believed that by doing so he was discharging his duty loyally to the party and its members who had taken up some serious responsibilities since the election to the Dail.

LEADER OF OPPOSITION.

Mr. Johnson said it was wrong to approach the matter from the point of view of the officers concerned. The report was one of an Army Inquiry Committee to the Executive Council. That Council had submitted it to the Dail in an emasculated form. When the matter was raised he did not approve the appointment of such a Committee for the purpose. It was appointed by the Executive Council and reported to the Executive Council, which in its discretion submitted the report to the Dail. It was a Committee of Inquiry into the administration of the Army by the Executive Council. It was the Executive Council that was on trial, not the chief officers of the Army, or any officer of the Army, and the report in so far as it reported anything in relation to the state of the Army had reported on the administration of the Army by the Executive Council—a collective body responsible for its government.

Instead of producing a report in a fortnight as was promised, the Committee had taken two months to do it. They had the report with the Chairman's reservation of his report, and they could not consider it until it was complete. They found references to the Kenmare, the Mayo case, and other cases, but they had no information about them, and could not, therefore, deal with the report with any sense of intelligence.

He submitted that the report, at most, minimised the condition that was found in the Army. It minimised the seriousness of the case that they found according to the evidence, and at the same time suggested that there were more serious things behind that they did not touch upon. The Committee stated that there was no evidence to justify the charge of muddling and incompetence against the Chief of Staff.

So far as the Dail was concerned, they had no right to think of muddling on the part of any officer. If there was any charge of muddling it was a charge against the political head of the Department of State. They should beware of making officers of any department directly responsible to the Dail. The responsible authority was its political head.

The Dail must regard the Executive as responsible. If it was to condemn anybody it was the Minister, or, in certain circumstances, the Executive Council. They would be making a fatal mistake if they allowed themselves to be discussing the merits of individual members of the Army because the report called for by the Executive Council in regard to the administration of one of its departments had been made public.

MR. M'GRATH.

Mr. Joseph McGrath said that his attitude towards the inquiry was well known, but he thought at least that his attendance before the inquiry on the invitation of the Committee would have been recorded, and the statement he had made to them, or the main portion of it, would have been recorded. He had attended, and stated that he would not enter there and state charges that he could not definitely back up with the evidence necessary, which was the evidence of the officers actually concerned.

General Mulcahy had said that some Ministers—"and I imagine," said Mr. McGrath, "that he referred to me"—had taken a course he could not understand, in view of their having made statements in the Dail and then failing to attend the Committee of Inquiry to substantiate them.

"I want to tell him," Mr. McGrath went on, "that he and those with him took very good care that I would not attend the inquiry, by the very action for which he himself, or rather I should not say himself, but the officers he is speaking of, by the very action for which they were called on to resign—a determined effort made to set a blaze in this country that would probably never be put out. I refer to the action in regard to the Parnell street meeting. It was on that account that these officers were called on to send in their resignations. It had nothing to do with the charges made by me in the Dail.

"It is all very fine to come here and state, when he and those associated with him have failed to close the trouble, to say that those officers have not had the charge proved against them, and that he will move a motion in each case to say that they will get back the position they had."

GUARANTEE IN WRITING.

General Mulcahy, intervening, said that Mr. McGrath was not the only Minister he had in mind.

Mr. McGrath said that he would have something to say on that when the full discussion came on. He wished to support General Mulcahy with regard to Paragraph 2. He had been asked whether he could get the officers concerned to give evidence and help the Dail. He said that he would, and he tried to get the evidence of officers who took any steps and who would be able to throw light on the circumstances, on condition that he got a guarantee of indemnity for them. He was promised that guarantee, and was written to and told that the indemnity was given; but benefiting by past experience, he asked for it in writing, and got it. There was a guarantee given to them that they would not be criminally prosecuted if they gave evidence. That was the only guarantee.

There was absolutely no reference in the report to what one might call documentary evidence, and the documents must not have been produced. There was one document, at least, which would have proved who the mutineers were. That document had got publication in another form.

General Mulcahy, interrupting, said that there was no document published in the pamphlet that was issued or in any statement made by Mr. McGrath which he had not previously placed before the Committee. It was only just in keeping with what the report left unsaid as a whole that it did not mention that much of the material that he personally had put in was fully documented, and no document was kept back.

President Cosgrave, referring to Mr. McGrath's point about the indemnity, said that he believed that Mr. Davin had put the question before the inquiry was set up as to whether some sort of indemnity would not be given to officers if they attended the inquiry. He believed that he had given a very safe answer at the time, and he thought that he had not improved on that answer in any communication he had with the Committee. He had put it to the Army inquiry, he believed: "Do you want an indemnity to such an effect that an officer giving evidence there has got to be promoted to the top, on every occasion when an indemnity is to be given respecting him, that he has to get a step up or he is not getting an indemnity?"

He certainly repudiated any attempt at misleading or giving wrong guidance or leaving any officer to understand that he would get anything the Government were not going to deliver. He had made that perfectly clear to the Committee.

LATE GENERAL COLLINS'S PROBLEM.

Mr. McGrath, resuming, said that the findings of the Committee, contained in Paragraphs 5 and 13, referred in the main to officers who were classed as mutineers. Naturally, he could say nothing about that, as the evidence in that case could be of only one type, because of the failure of the officers themselves to appear before the Committee. With regard to Paragraph 6 he would be very anxious to see the evidence on which that paragraph was based. Of course, he was at a disadvantage because he did not give evidence.

The problem that faced General Collins before his death was G.H.Q., and he had to leave and go into the Army because of the condition and the way G.H.Q. was going—a fact which was well known to the Executive Council at the time.

Major Bryan Cooper said that, while he did not propose to deal in detail with that important report, he desired to point out one or two things. No one in the country need imagine or think that Deputy Mulcahy and the officers associated with him were not absolutely candid with the Committee. They were, they put all the evidence before it, and all documents were put in the Committee's hands. He did not think it was of sufficient importance to insert that in the report.

With regard to paragraphs 24, 25 and 26, to which Deputy Mulcahy took exception because of their form, he said that every report must be a combination of a number of views, and could not be as forcible as the view of one man; but in practice he saw very little difference between Deputy Mulcahy's formula and the report.

The difficulty that confronted the Committee was that they were called on to investigate charges and there was nobody to make those charges. The case for the prosecution, if he might so put it, was not formulated, while the case for the defence was put as strongly as possible with the assistance of counsel and solicitors, who had every advantage. That being so, he did not think the Committee could put it more strongly. "No evidence put before us to justify the charges" seemed perfectly clear; there was no evidence and no charge to answer.

In respect to paragraph 25, he knew the charges were brought against the Quartermaster-General in relation to discipline in the Army, and not in relation to his general conduct, which had absolutely nothing to do with the Committee. They were appointed to investigate the circumstances that created the mutiny, and were not set up to investigate the whole conduct and administration of the Army during the last two years, which would be a task, not for six weeks, but for six months.

ACQUITTED OF CHARGES.

Those, charges, such as they were, were not very serious ones, and he would say at once that he did not know of any army in which the fighting soldier did not grumble at the Q.M.G.'s department. No charge relevant to the inquiry was made against the Q.M.G., and that was a plain statement of fact. The Committee intended these three paragraphs, 4, 5 and 6, to acquit these officers of the charges of muddling, mismanagement, and incompetence.

Deputy Mulcahy took those three paragraphs as a complete vindication, but he could not have it both ways. These paragraphs reflected the actual case. Deputy Mulcahy made the point that none of the G.O.C.'s were summoned to give evidence. If the deputy had wished to have any of the G.O.C.'s summoned he need only say so. They did make one application to summon an officer, and he was at once summoned.

Where any person gave them the smallest indication that they could get any evidence of value from any individual officer they at once satisfied them.

The report was an honest representation of the facts as they had come before the Committee.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL'S POSITION

Mr. Baxter said that he could not understand the position of the Executive Council in this matter. The President had said that they had not considered the report, but they apparently had considered the evidence, and the evidence was not to be published. How could the members of the Dail discuss the report without having seen the evidence?

Mr. Mulcahy and Mr. McGrath had different views, and how could the House judge between them without having read the evidence? Was the Executive Council satisfied with the report—they had not yet considered it. He could not understand how the Committee had expressed their views so concisely. (Laughter). Without the evidence a discussion on the subject would leave the Army in a greater muddle than it was before.

Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, defended the report, and said that he did not need to draw upon the evidence which had come before the Committee in justification of it. There was no innuendo in the Report, as was alleged by Mr. Mulcahy, and the findings were stated quite simply.

Was it asked that they should give a synopsis of the charges against the Quartermaster-General? The terms of reference were definite and entitled them to inquire into the matters dealt with. Mr. Johnson had disclaimed all knowledge of the Kenmare case.

Mr. Johnson—I only heard rumours.

Mr. McGilligan—That is sufficient.

General Mulcahy—For some people.

Mr. McGilligan—People who dabble in secret societies must take the consequences.

THE GUARANTEE.

Mr. McGilligan, resuming, said that Deputy Magrath had promised to give names of people who would give evidence, but, although numerous letters were sent to the deputy and an indemnity guarantee was given in writing, there was no objection that the guarantee was not complete.

Mr. Magrath—It is on record that I said that the guarantee given was of no value.

Mr. McGilligan—Did we refuse to summon any witnesses Deputy Magrath named?

Mr. Magrath—Certainly not. I gave no names.

Continuing, Mr. McGilligan said that Mr. Johnson had made the criticism that the inquiry was to take two weeks and had taken two months—a peculiar criticism from a Deputy who complained that the report did not contain all the material it ought to contain. The two weeks' period was an estimate suggested by the President at a time when it was practically certain that Mr. McGrath and the General Officers would come before the inquiry. The delay that occurred—and there was delay—occurred in the first three weeks, when there was no evidence coming before the Committee, and it seemed as if the Committee would have to report that there was no evidence whatever to report on.

Mr. Johnson said that he had not complained of delay. He wondered that more time was not taken.

Mr. McGilligan said that even so he had not been able to assure himself that Mr. Johnson's statement on that point was a compliment. (Laughter.) Referring to Mr. Johnson's remark that he would think little of the Dail if a Dail Committee could not have produced a better report, he reminded the Dail that the Committee had consisted chiefly of members of the Dail, and that the President had invited Mr. Johnson himself to be a member of it.

At this stage—a few minutes after 11 o'clock—the Speaker announced the adjournment and left the chair.

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EVIDENCE FOR DEFENCE IN BELFAST CASE.

VICAR AND A CHURCH BUILDING.

Evidence for the defence was given yesterday before Mr. Justice Brown and a jury in the Northern High Court, Belfast, in the suit in which a declaration is sought that Mr. John Connell, of "Sonoma," Belmont road, Belfast, is of unsound mind and incapable of managing himself and his affairs.

William Strahan, director and secretary of Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co., Ltd., said that he thought Mr. Connell, whom he had known for 25 years, was one of the most capable shipbuilders the country ever had. It was due to his ability that Workman, Clark and Co. was brought to the front in its early years.

"Mentally, how would you describe him?" asked Mr. M'Gonigal.

Witness—Well, mentally, as sound—after a pause witness added—well, as a bar. (Laughter.)

His Lordship—You would not care to put it any higher than that?

He had heard of three occasions when Mr. Connell was in the asylum and of his having trouble with the police. If the police or anyone else worried Mr. Connell he would not be surprised, having regard to the temperament of Mr. Connell, that he would show temper.

James Hamilton, works manager in the South Yard of Messrs. Workman Clark, who had known Mr. Connell for twenty-seven years, said that on the 6th June last Mr. Connell at Workman and Clark's discussed matters and made helpful suggestions. There was nothing peculiar about him.

Witness said that Mr. Connell was above the average mentally.

His Lordship—Prior to 1914 did you ever hear of him throwing his money to the men?

Witness—No. He was charitable.

He was not throwing pound notes about at the gate? No.

Walter W. Denholme, manager of the North Yard of Workman Clark's, declared that Mr. Connell was about the best shipbuilder he had ever met and was of very high intellect. He thought that Mr. Connell was perfectly sane.

Samuel J. Harcourt, managing clerk in the commercial department of Messrs. Workman Clark, said that he thought that Mr. Connell, who was a man of great ability, but of short temper, was perfectly sane.

A juror complained that all the witnesses from Workman Clark's did not seem to know anything about Mr. Connell or about him going to the asylum.

The Rev. John Redmond, Vicar of St. Patrick's, Ballymacarrett, said that he had known Mr. Connell since the summer of 1920, and had been associated with him in Church work and in the building of a mission hall and school. Mr. Connell superintended the work of erection, making valuable improvements, with the result that they were the best of three that he had erected. He saw Mr. Connell in court on Thursday last, and conversed with him at lunch time, when he was perfectly normal.

A Juror—Did you ever visit him in his private house? Yes.

Did you ever see anything that was unusual? Yes, I did.

You might tell us. It was at the time he was abnormal, before being in Purdysburn in May, 1923. He had been allowed out, and became excited in the house, and damaged some furniture, I believe.

Mr. Murphy, K.C.—That was in July, 1923.

Witness—Yes, I forgot the date.

Several other witnesses gave evidence of their belief that Mr. Connell was sane.

The manager of the Mountpottinger branch of the Ulster Bank said that he thought that Mr. Connell was fit to manage his affairs.

Mr. Robert Veitch said that he had seen Mr. Connell in the asylum. "I came away with the idea that if he was not sane there was a lot of people in Belfast who should be in with him." (Laughter.)

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

The letters "S.B." signify a Simultaneous Broadcast from the station mentioned.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

4.0-6.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Concert: Light Music by the Wireless Orchestra, conducted by Dan. Godfrey, jun. Songs by Gwen. Godfrey (soprano). "Parliamentary Bills Affecting Women and Children," by a non-party woman. "A General Tour of Wembley," by Constance Coventry. **6.0-6.45**—Children's entertainment. **7.0**—Time Signal from Big Ben, First General News Bulletin, and Weather Forecast. S.B. to all Stations. Archibald Haddon (the B.B.C. Dramatic Critic): "News and Views of the Theatre." S.B. to all Stations. Local News. **7.30-8.0**—Interval. An Evening of Army Reminiscences. Song, Story, and Chorus, arranged for Broadcasting by Percy Merriman, and presented by the Roosters Concert Party, assisted by the Wireless Orchestra. **10.0**—Time Signals from Greenwich and Big Ben, Second General News Bulletin and Weather Forecast. S.B. to all Stations. The Week's Work in the Garden by the Royal Horticultural Society. S.B. to other Stations. Prof. A. J. Ireland on "Wellington and Napoleon at Waterloo." S.B. to other Stations. Local News. **10.35**—The Savoy Orpheans and Savoy Havana Bands, relayed from the Savoy Hotel, London. S.B. to all Stations. **11.30**—Close.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

3.45-5.15—Ethel Rowland (solo pianoforte). The Royal Bath Hotel Dance Orchestra, relayed from King's Hall Rooms. Talks to Women. **5.15-6.45**—Children's entertainment. **7.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News. **7.30-8.30**—Interval. **8.30**—The Wireless Orchestra. **8.45**—Jay Kaye (entertainer). **8.55**—Phyllis Lorie and Robert Spencer in an original sketch, "A Venetian Nocturne" (Phyllis Lorie). **9.15**—Orchestra. **9.30**—Jay Kaye. **9.40**—Charleston Raynor and Dorothy Harwood, in a humorous dialogue (C. G. Lennox). **10.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Prof. A. J. Ireland. S.B. from London. Local News. **10.35**—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. **11.30**—Close.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—375 Metres.

2.30-3.0—Women's topics. **3.30-4.30**—Concert by Ethel Radcliffe (soprano), E. Stanley (tenor), Launcelot Quinn (baritone), Frank Foxon (entertainer). **5.40-5.45**—Farmers' Weather Forecast. **5.45-6.30**—Children's entertainment. **7.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News. **7.30-8.0**—Interval. **8.0**—Vocal and Instrumental Concert. Kenneth Ellis (bass), Annie Lord (solo pianoforte), Marguerite Davis (soprano), Sidney Wright (solo 'cello). **8.45**—Celesta R. Sachs: "The Revenge" (Tennyson). **9.0**—Kenneth Ellis. **10.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Horticultural Society Talk S.B. from London. Prof. A. J. Ireland. S.B. from London. Local News. **10.35**—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. **11.30**—Close.

CARDIFF (5WA)—351 Metres.

3.0-4.0—Falkman and his orchestra, relayed from the Capitol Cinema. **5.0-5.45**—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks": Vocal and instrumental artistes, including Joseph Farrington (bass). Talks to Women. Weather Forecast. **5.45-6.30**—Children's entertainment. **6.30-6.45**—"How to Draw (V.)—Help to Picture Making." **7.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News. **7.30-8.0**—Interval. **8.0**—The Magic Carpet will make a flight to New Zealand. Pilot, Major Dansey. Nora Delmarr (soprano), and the Station Orchestra will accompany the party. **9.30**—Orchestra. **9.45**—Songs. **10.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Prof. A. J. Ireland. S.B. from London. Local News. **10.35**—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. **11.30**—Close.

GLASGOW (5SC)—420 Metres.

3.30-4.30—Classical Afternoon by the Wireless Quartette. **4.45-5.15**—Topics for Women: Music and Gossip. **5.15-6.0**—Children's entertainment. **6.0-6.5**—Weather Forecast for Farmers. **6.5-6.15**—Morse Code Lesson. **7.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Archibald Haddon. S.B. from London. Local News. **7.30-7.40**—Interval. **7.40**—Robert Anning Bell on "Stained Glass." **8.0**—Grieg Night. S.B. to Edinburgh. The Station Orchestra, conducted by Herbert A. Carruthers. **8.30**—William Murdoch (solo pianoforte). **9.15**—Prof. Archibald Barr on "Scottish Scout Week." **9.25**—Orchestra. **10.0**—News and Weather Forecast. S.B. from London. Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. Prof. A. J. Ireland. S.B. from London. Local News. **10.35**—The Savoy Bands. S.B. from London. **11.30**—Close.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

ST. PATRICK'S GUILD.—A children's garden party will be held in the grounds of the St. Patrick's Guild Hospital, 6 Northbrook road, to-morrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. The Guild does an excellent work for destitute and sick children, but its activities are hampered for want of funds. There is an overdraft of £3,785, and £500 must be provided within the next six weeks if the work is to be maintained.

PRICE OF MILK IN HOWTH.—Howth Urban Council has passed a resolution that "in the opinion of this Council the price of milk at 7d. a quart in June is excessive and ought to be reduced."

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS:—J. Burrours, A. Winterbottom, H. A. Chance, J. Harris, T. E. Oliver, J. Killinde, S. W. Giddings, A. Pugh, M. McCann, W. R. Caw, R. Rowbottom, A. Stabback, R. King, H. C. Beowich, H. Flacher, E. Guinough, Mr. and Mrs. and Master Crean, J. V. Jones, T. W. Frith, Miss Wanner, Miss Rogers, Miss Craig, Mr. and Mrs. T. Tuite, the Rev. O'Brien, W. F. Hackett, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, C. Thompson, J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. McGrath, M. S. Irwin, H. White, A. Hastings, T. Hearn, S. Taylor, the Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Forrislie, Mrs. Camberwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Whelan, Mr. and Mrs. O'Mara, G. C. Glibe, R. Wright, J. Collins, Miss Thomas.

DEPARTURES:—S. A. Scretton, C. R. Kilkelly, G. F. Keatinge, J. Duffy, Dr. Benson, Mrs. C. Armstrong, the Rev. J. Howard, S. Ford, Miss St. Clether, P. Hoggins, J. R. Hawcroft, Stewart Ford, N. Winderbottom, J. H. Eccles, the Rev. Dr. Tynan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Forsythe, Miss Forsythe, J. E. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan-Mooney, M. Salmon, Miss Daly, Miss White, Mrs. Ellington, Mrs. O. D. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jones, the Misses Dillon, Miss Connolly.

LEINSTER.

COMPLAINED AND DETAINED.—John Mitchell, Cornmarket, Dublin, complained to the Civic Guards at Tullamore that he had been robbed. The Guards communicated with the Dublin police, with the result that Mitchell is being detained pending further inquiries.

RATE COLLECTION ECONOMY.—Co. Longford Executive of the Farmers' Union has adopted a resolution passed by Ballymahon branch pointing out that the rates can be collected through the Post Office at a cost of 3d. in the £, and calling on the Government to refuse to sanction pensions to rate collectors.

WEXFORD UNION ACCOMMODATION TAXED.—It was reported to a meeting of the County Wexford Board of Health that there were more persons in the institution during May than in any previous month. The estimates provided for 548, but there were 578 inmates.

TULLAMORE SHOW.—Tullamore Show will be held on Monday, July 28. There will be no Show on the 16th.

CLAIM AGAINST RELIEVING OFFICER—On the grounds that they were merely acting as agents for the Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny, Board of Guardians, the Court dismissed a claim by Mr. P. A. McConville, hotel proprietor, Thomastown, against Messrs. Lawrence Walsh, relieving officer; Patrick Ryan and James O'Neill for £16 9s. costs incurred by the maintenance in his hotel of a nurse who acted for seven weeks as substitute for the local maternity nurse. The Guardians agreed to pay the amount, but the Minister for Local Government refused its sanction.

UNWANTED GRANT.—Speaking at a meeting of the Executive of the Longford Farmers' Union with reference to a grant by the Government in relief of the rates, a member said that he did not believe that Longford should accept it. The rates were collected, and there was no necessity to pay interest on an advance which they did not require. If they got the money, it would go as well as the rest. The meeting was in favour of rejecting the offer.

MUNSTER.

DEPARTMENTAL DILATORINESS—Tipperary No. 1 and No. 2 Rural District Councils, at a joint meeting, elected Mr. James Bishop, of Grantstown, Tipperary, to be Clerk to both bodies, at a salary of £170—£135 from No. 1 and £35 from No. 2 Council. Yesterday week a qualifying examination of the applicants was held, under the supervision of an Inspector of the Local Government Department. The Acting Clerk reported that the results of that examination had not been received, but the meeting decided to proceed with the election, holding that there was ample time for the Department to have announced the result of the examination.

CUSTOMS COMFORTS.—"The next thing they will be asking is that we should provide luncheons," said a member of the Limerick Harbour Board during consideration of a letter from the Revenue Commissioners stating that their requirements for Customs examination work at the docks include an office, with lighting, heating, furnishing, and provision for cleaning. The Engineer said that for the past seventy years nothing but an office had been required. It was decided to ask the Revenue Commissioners what authority they had for their demands.

CANADIAN TRANSPORT OFFICIAL'S VISIT.—A letter was read at Limerick Harbour Board meeting from the London office of the High Commissioners of Canada, stating that Mr. M. F. Fennell, of Montreal, Director of Trade and Transportation, would visit Irish ports, including Limerick, this month, and inspect facilities, especially for grain.

POTATO BLIGHT.—Potato blight has made its appearance in the Dungarvan district, says our Correspondent. Second early varieties are chiefly affected, but the main crop also shows signs of the disease. The rich growth of stalks, due to the weather, renders the crop more than usually subject to attack.

LOWER SHANNON FISHING.—Steady catches of salmon are being made on the Lower Shannon, says our Glin, Co. Limerick, Correspondent. The fish is selling at 1s. 9d. a pound.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

FIFTY YEARS AS ORGANIST.—Mr. Thomas Henry Wilson, who has completed 50 years' service as organist and choirmaster of Seagoe, Portadown, Parish Church, has received a presentation in token of the parishioners' appreciation.

THE LATE LORD PIRRIE.—Belfast Harbour Board passed a resolution yesterday, recording its sense of the loss sustained by the port by the death of Lord Pirrie, and tendering sympathy to Lady Pirrie.

"CURFEW" FOLLOWS CLOCK.—Forty persons were fined from 2s. 6d. to 10s. at Enniskillen yesterday for breaches of the "Curfew" Order. One man pleaded that he observed "old time."

COUNTY ANTRIM AND EDUCATION.—A member said at the annual meeting of the Antrim County Council yesterday that it was most important that the Council should consider its responsibilities in regard to the Education Act. It should endeavour to look for men, whether members of the Council or not, who would have the welfare of the community at heart, and take an interest in the education of the children, upon whom the future of the country depended.

S. TYRONE UNIONIST ASSOCIATION.—Mr. Anketell Moutray was on Monday, at Aughnacloy, re-elected President of the South Tyrone Unionist Association, which passed votes of confidence in Sir James Craig and the Northern Government, and Mr. Coote, member for Tyrone-Fermanagh.

COUNCIL AND A DUBLIN LECTURE.—Lurgan Urban District Council considered a letter from the Royal Dublin Society, asking the Council to appoint representatives to attend a lecture on "Road Construction and Maintenance," to be delivered on Thursday, June 26, in the Theatre Royal, Dublin, by Mr. J. S. Hallick, and pointing out that it was a subject of great national importance. A member said that it would be inconvenient to a great many to travel to Dublin. If a similar lecture was delivered in the North it would be well attended. Armagh County Council had suggested the same thing. The Council decided to write to the promoters accordingly.

THE ROYAL VISIT.—Lurgan Urban Council has decided to present an address of welcome to the Duke and Duchess of York on the occasion of their visit to Northern Ireland in July.

Lurgan Urban Council has made "sleepy sickness" a notifiable disease in the urban area.

Cookstown, Co. Tyrone, Urban District Council is to advertise for tenders for lighting the town by electricity.

Mr. Albert J. Lewis, solicitor, Royal avenue, Belfast, has been appointed sessional solicitor to the Belfast Harbour Commissioners.

Portadown Chamber of Commerce is to ask the Great Northern Railway to reduce its charges for the carriage of live stock for exhibition at Agricultural Shows.

BIG WHISKEY SALE IN DUBLIN.

GOOD PRICES.

Satisfactory prices were realised at the auction of 743 casks of Irish Whiskey, the property of Messrs. N. Carolan and Co., Dundalk, who have retired from business, in the Metropole, Lower Sackville street, Dublin, yesterday. The stock comprised:—Two butts, 397 hhds. and 15 quarters of John Jameson and Son, 1913 to 1823 whiskey; 154 hhds. and 4 quarters, John Power and Son, 1915 to 1922; and 64 hhds. D.W.D., 1915 to 1922, stored in Dublin and Dundalk.

The auctioneer was Mr. Andrew J. Keogh, and the solicitors were Messrs. Arthur Cox and Co.

Four quarter-casks of John Jameson, over 10 years old, in bond at Dundalk, brought 33s. per reguage gallon, between 3.6 over proof and 5.7 under proof.

For sherry matured hogsheads of John Jameson, ten years old in December next, prices ranged from 32s. to 32s. 6d. Quarter-casks, 9 years old, made 32s. 6d. and 33s., while hogsheads of the same age sold at 30s., 30s. 6d., 31s. and 32s. 6d.

For fresh sherry hogsheads of 5 years old J.J. and S., testing from 15.7 to 18.4 over proof, prices ranged from 22s. to 22s. 6d. For hogsheads of "fresh sherries," 5 years old in July, the prices were 21s. 21s. 6d. and 22s.

For 4 years old J.J. and S., at distillers' stores, in hogsheads, 15s. 6d., 15s. 9d. and 16s., was obtained, and for hogsheads bonded in January, 1921, 15s. per gallon. Sherry matured hogsheads bonded in March, 1921, changed hands at 14s. 6d. For hogsheads bonded in April, 1921, 14s. 6d. per gallon was realised. For J.J. and S., 3 years old in November next, the price was 12s. 6d.

Power's whiskey—For quarter-casks of 8 years old the price per gallon was 23s. The figure obtained for hogsheads bonded December, 1915, were 22s. 6d. and 23s. For hogsheads bonded in February, 1916, prices ranged from 23s. to 24s.; hogsheads bonded 29th November, 1922, 8s. 9d.; hogsheads of 5 years old in March last, in bond at Dundalk, 16s. 3d. For Power's, December, 1919, in Dundalk, prices ranged from 15s. 9d. to 16s., and for Power's bonded in February, 1920, from 14s. to 14s. 6d.

D.W.D., in distillers' stores—For hogsheads, 8 years old last December, values ranged from 21s. to 22s. 6d.; 3 years old, 8s. 6d. per gallon; while D.W.D. of February, 1922, made 7s. and 7s. 3d.

For Allman's 2 years old whiskies, in bond at distillers' stores, Bandon, 5s. was obtained.

Phoenix Park Distillery grain whiskey, in bond at Dundalk—Five years old in August made 4s. 9d. and 5s., and 5 years old in November, 4s. 9d. Four years old in March last made 4s. 9d., while lots bonded in May, 1920, realised 4s. 6d. per gallon.

The sale will be continued to-day.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, June 17, 1924.

REGULAR FORCES.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.—Supernumerary Captain M. E. Dennis, M.C., restored to the establishment. Lieutenant D. Brown seconded for service with the Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

Corps of Royal Engineers.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Garwood, on completion of four years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on the half-pay list. Major and Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. M. Russell, C.B.E., D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Royal Tank Corps.—The undermentioned Captains are restored to the establishment:—H. F. T. Blowey, O.B.E.; J. Mahoney.

Royal Air Force.—General Duties Branch—The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted the honorary rank of Flight Lieutenant:—Herbert Roy Bond Howell, Francis Palmer Smythies. Pilot Officer Edmund Charles Roark is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer, 9th June, 1924 (substituted for the notification in the "Gazette" of 3rd June, 1923).

T. G. PHILLIPS,
Military Tailor, 4 Dame street.

THE SECRETARIAL COURSE at SKERRY'S COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, is the best possible preparation for a Business Career, and includes expert tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, Book-keeping, Office Routine, etc. Prospectus free.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT.

JUDGE CONNER, K.C., HEARS HIS FIRST CASES.

Judge Conner, K.C., the newly-appointed Circuit Judge for the City and County of Dublin, wearing ordinary morning dress, opened the business of his Court yesterday morning in the Green street Courthouse. The congratulations of both branches of the legal profession were extended to him on taking his seat on the bench for the first time.

Mr. W. J. Gleeson said that the members of the Bar had had association with his lordship in the Law Library for some years, and they greatly appreciated the help and advice he had always extended to those who needed it.

Mr. Arthur Bradley, on behalf of the solicitors practising in that court, said that the only regret he had was that his lordship did not carry to the bench the honoured title of Recorder.

His Lordship, in reply, said that no court could be a success if it had not the confidence and support of the members of the Bar. He felt how difficult it was for anybody to follow in the steps of that great judge who had presided at that court for something like nineteen years. He could not but appreciate the loss which the City and County of Dublin had sustained in losing him, but they were consoled by the fact that he had been taken to a sphere where his abilities would be at the service of the country generally.

The hearing of the equity cases was then proceeded with.

NEW ISSUE.

BRISBANE 5 P.C. WATER AND SEWERAGE STOCK.

The Commercial Bank of Australia is offering to-day, on behalf of the City of Brisbane (Queensland), £1,000,000 5 per cent. Water Supply and Sewerage Stock. The price of issue is 94; the return to an allottee is £5 6s. 6d.; and the principal is repayable in London at par in 1949. The area of the Board's operations is 738 square miles, and the population is 253,000. The Brisbane Water Board has spent on water supply and sewerage works £5,063,563, and its obligations, both as to repayment of principal and interest, have always been promptly met. The new money will be spent on extending the water supply and sewerage system of Brisbane. Applications on the form attached to the prospectus, on Page 9, must be for multiples of £100. The list will close on or before Monday, June 23. The issue may be classed as a gilt-edged Colonial municipal loan.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather at 5 p.m.—N.N.E. wind, light breeze, fine and clear.

Foreign Arrival—Ss. Aysgarth Force, of Whitehaven, 232 tons register, Captain Gallaway, from Flushing, with a cargo of asphalt; discharging at Alexandra Wharf, Alexandra Basin.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Tynwald, from Douglas, with passengers; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. Slievemore, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Tiger, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. Greenisland, from Larne, with cement; ss. Point of Ayr, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. Sarah Brough, ss. Puffin, ss. Agnes Ellen, from Garston, with coals; ss. Glenageary, from Partington, with coals; ss. St. Kenneth, ss. Cameo, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Welshman, from Troon, with coals.

Foreign Departures—Ss. American Press, of Philadelphia, 3,127 tons register, Captain Laight, for Avonmouth, with part cargo (general); ss. Trito, of Rotterdam, 373 tons register, Captain Bos, for Belfast, with part cargo (general).

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Tynwald, for Douglas, with passengers; ss. Slieve Bawn, ss. Slieve Donard, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Martin, for London, with goods; ss. Sanda, for Waterford and Cork, with goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Tiger, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Patricia, for Cardiff, with goods; ss. Lady Louth, for Liverpool and Birkenhead, with live-stock and goods; ss. Clarecastle, for Liverpool, with porter; ss. Cornelian, for Ayr, light; ss. Olivine, for Harrington, light; ss. Ailsa, for Silloth, light; ss. Nugget, for Irvine, light; ss. St. Fintan, ss. Glencona, ss. St. Mungo, for Garston, light; ss. Glenculler, for Partington, light; ss. Talacre, ss. Killocrat, for Point of Aire, light.

U.S. MARKETS.

IRREGULAR CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, June 17.

Stocks opened irregular and movements were mixed throughout the session, bear selling and realising being opposed by new buying of various groups, especially Tobacco shares, Merchandise issues and Public Utilities. There were many changes of 1 to 3 points either way. The market closed irregular. Government Bonds easy, Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 870,000 shares. Money on call closed easy at 2 per cent. bid and 2½ per cent. asked. All business was transacted at 2 per cent. Sterling exchange rates steady. Silver unchanged for foreign mined at 67.

Illinois Central advanced 2½, and National Lead 1.

Atchison Topeka Pref., Chicago North-Western Ord., Erie shares, Texas and Pacific and International Mercantile Marine Pref. declined ½; Erie 1st Pref., Great Northern Pref. and Royal Dutch Petroleum, ⅜; Norfolk and Western Common, 1⅞; Northern Pacific Common, 1⅛; Ontario and Western and Bethlehem Steel Common, ⅞; Chicago Rock Island Common, 1⅜; Union Pacific Common and General Electric, 1; Pan-American Petroleum Ord., ⅜; Shell Ord., ½; and New York Consolidated Gas, ⅞.

Reading 4 per cent. Mortgage Bonds advanced ⅛; Union Pacific and 4 per cent. Bonds declined ⅛.

Eng. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices. Mon.	Tues.	Business Done H	L
118¾	Funded	102¼	102¼	—	—
119⅞	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	103¾	103	—	—
105½	Do. Preference	92	91½	—	—
65⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	56¾	56¾	—	—
169⅞	Canadian Pacific	146½	146½	—	—
92⅞	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	80	79⅝	—	—
14⅞	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	12¾	12⅝	—	—
64¾	Chicago and N.-West.	56	55½	—	—
39⅝	Erie 1st Preferred	34⅝	34	—	—
66⅝	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	57⅜	57⅝	—	—
69¾	Great Northern Pref.	60⅛	59¾	—	—
124⅞	Illinois Central	105	107½	—	—
50⅜	Lehigh Valley	43¾	43½	—	—
107⅞	Louisville & Nashville	93½	93¾	—	—
15⅞	Missouri, Kan. & Texas	13⅜	13	—	—
81⅞	Do. New 4% Bonds	71	70⅞	—	—
69⅞	Do. Adj. 5% Bonds	59¾	59¾	—	—
19⅞	Missouri Pacific New	17	17	—	—
4⅞	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	3½	3⅛	—	—
1⅞	Do. 2nd Pref.	1⅜	1⅜	—	—
120⅞	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	104⅛	10⅞	—	—
139⅞	Norfolk & West Com.	122¾	120⅞	—	—
63⅞	Northern Pacific Com.	56⅜	55	—	—
21⅞	Ontario and Western	19⅛	18¾	—	—
51⅞	Pennsylvania Shares	44⅜	44¼	—	—
64½	Reading Shares	55¾	55½	—	—
40⅞	Do. 1st Preferred	35	34¾	—	—
108⅞	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	93	93⅜	—	—
68⅞	Southern Railway	59⅝	59⅝	—	—
106	Southern Pacific	91¾	91⅛	—	—
35⅞	Texas and Pacific	31¼	30¾	—	—
154⅞	Union Pacific	134½	133½	—	—
85¾	Do. Pref.	73½	73¼	—	—
106⅞	Do. 4% Bonds	92⅞	92⅞	—	—
17½	Wabash Common	16	15⅞	—	—
51½	Do. Preferred A	44¾	44½	—	—
73¾	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com	63⅛	63⅜	—	—
34¾	Anaconda Copper	30	30	—	—
26¼	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	22¾	22¾	—	—
78⅞	N.Y. Cons. Gas	69⅞	68¾	—	—
268⅝	General Electric	233¼	232¼	—	—
111⅞	U.S. Steel Common	97⅛	96¾	—	—
140¾	Do. 1st Preferred	122	121¾	—	—
121⅞	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	104½	104¾	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67	67	—	—
8⅞	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	8	7¾	—	—
37⅞	Do. Prefd. Certs.	33¾	32¾	—	—
55	Royal Dutch Oil	48⅛	47½	—	—
40⅞	Shell Transport	35⅝	35	—	—
59⅞	Pan-American Pet.	51¾	51	—	—
17	Anglo-American Oil	15	14¾	—	—
15⅞	General Motors	13⅛	13	—	—
31¼	U.S. Rubber	26⅞	27	—	—

*Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex Bonus. § Ex Rights.

	Monday.	Tuesday
Call Money	2b. 2½a.	2b. 2½a.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.29½	4.29¾
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.32	4.32
Cable Transfers	4.32½	4.32¼
Ex. on Paris	5.34	5.35½
Cotton, Mid., Upland, at New York	29.75	29.55
Do. New Orleans, Mid.	29.75	29.40
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	10.25	10.70
Do., P. Sum. op., May	10.24	10.38
Petro., Standard White, in cases	16.90	16.90
Do., do., in barrels	13.50	13.50
Do., Philad., Stan. do.	13.50	13.50
Do., Pennsyl., Crude	3.25—3.75	3.25—3.75
Spirits of Turpentine	85	85
Do., Savannah	79—79½	79
Resin, Grade K	4.60	4.55
Do., Grade F	4.65	4.57½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	11.60	11.57½
Do. Mid. West	11.05—11.15	11.05—11.15
Tallow, Extra Loose	6⅞	6⅞
Sugar, New Cuban	5.15	5.15
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	94½	95
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	131	131
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	131	131
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	125	125
Coffee, Rio No. 7	14⅝	14⅝
Flour, Spring Clears, per 100lbs.	5.00—5.50	5.25—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	19.00—20.00	19.00—20.00
Tin, Straits	43.62½	44.62½
Do., Future Option	—	—
Tin Plates	5.50	5.50
Zinc, East St. Louis	5.85	5.85
Lead	7.12½	7.12½
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	12⅞—12⅞	12⅞—12⅞
Do., do., Futures	12⅞	12⅞—12⅞
Freight, Heavy Grain to Gt. Britain, per qr.	1/6—2/0	1/6—2/0
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per 100lbs.	8—10	8—10
Freight, Cotton, to L'pool (high density), 100lbs.	25	25
Do. Standard	40	40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

WHEAT steady and unchanged. Receipts—Atlantic—To-day, 522,000 bushels; same day last year, 532,000; this season, 250,057,000; last season, 321,168,000. Clearances—To-day, 234,000 bushels; same day last year, 364,000; this season, 227,627,000; last season, 307,912,000. Sales for export, 90 boatloads.

MAIZE steady and ½c. up.

LARD barely steady, 2½ points down to unchanged.

RUBBER barely steady and unchanged to ½c. down. First latex crepe, 19½; smoked ribbed sheets, 18½.

SUGAR—Future easy, 12 to 14 points down. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unchanged. Approximate day's sales, 49,000 tons. Options—July, 3.40; Sept., 3.58; Dec., 3.46; March, 3.25.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened easy, ½c. to ¾c. cheaper, but closed firm, 1⅛c. to 1½c. up. Opening options—July, 115⅛; Oct., 110. Closing options—July, 117⅛; Oct., 111⅛. Oats barely steady, ½c. lower. Closing option—July, 41⅛.

COTTON opened steady, 1 point up to 15 points down. Prices weakened in the early dealings. A rally followed. Values declined again, and the market closed barely steady, 22 to 16 points down, excepting August, 10 points up. Spot quiet at 20 points fall. New Orleans spot 35 points lower. To-day's receipts—Atlantic ports, 6,000 bales; Gulf ports, 2,000; Pacific ports, nil. To-day's exports—Great Britain, 4,000 bales; Continent, 11,000; Japan, nil.

CHICAGO, June 17th.

WHEAT opened weak, ½c. to ¾c. lower, and was depressed for a time on commission houses selling, bearish Liverpool cables, liquidation, favourable crop reports from Canada, good weather in the North-West and foreign selling. A recovery set in later owing to a demand from millers, a better cash enquiry, strength of outside markets, rumours of export business and on outside support. The market closed firm at 1½c. to 1c. gain on the day. Spot steady. No. 2 hard winter spot, 118; No. 3 hard winter spot, 119. Futures—Opening options—July, 113⅝; September, 115. Closing options—July, 115⅛; September, 116⅛; December, 119. Receipts—Western points—To-day, 510,000 bushels; same day last year, 500,000; this season, 336,416,000; last season, 421,017,000.

CORN opened easy, ⅛c to ⅜c. lower on favourable crop reports, a poor export enquiry and commission house selling; then recovered and advanced owing to unfavourable weather for threshing, buying by cash houses, smaller receipts and higher cash markets. The closing was firm, ½c. up to unchanged. Spot No. 2 mixed, 94⅛. Futures—Opening options—July, 81½; September, 81⅛. Closing options—July, 83⅛; September, 82⅞; December, 75⅛. Receipts—Western ports—To-day, 770,000; same day last year, 424,000; this season, 252,339,000; last season, 296,357,000.

OATS steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. Future closing options—July, 46½; September, 42⅛; December, 44⅛.

PROVISIONS opened steady, and prices rose on the firm hog position, a fair cash demand, covering of shorts and buying by commission houses. Later under realising partial reductions took place, but the market closed steady, with lard unchanged to 2½ points up and ribs 5 points higher. Lard—Closing options—July, 10.70; September, 10.97½; October, 11.07½. Ribs—Closing options—July, 10.02½; September, 10.05; October, unquoted.

BACON steady and unaltered.

HOGS firm. Light descriptions are unchanged to 10 points dearer and heavy 15 to 10 points up. Receipts—Western Cities—To-day, 132,000; last year, 111,000. Chicago—To-day, 30,000; last year, 26,000. Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since the 1st March, total 11,206,000, against 11,188,000 same season last year.

	Short ribbed sides. 60lbs. avg.	Light hogs.		Heavy hogs.	
To-day	10.12½	6.75	7.35	7.25	7.45
Previous day	10.12½	6.75	7.35	7.10	7.35

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DAIRY PRODUCE.

PROVISIONS OF NEW BILL.

An improvement in the general standard of dairy produce by making provision for the registration and control of premises engaged in the manufacture or sale of it, is the aim of the new Dairy Produce Bill introduced in the Dail last week. The full text of the measure has now been published.

The proposal is to make regulations for the manufacture, marketing, and export of butter, milk, cream, etc.

All premises in which dairy produce is manufactured must, the bill provides, be structurally suitable and equipped with the requisite machinery or appliances. Premises, plant and machinery, and appliances or utensils must be kept clean and in good repair, and all ingredients used in the manufacture of the produce must also be clean. In addition, the factory must be so situated as to prevent the exposure of the manufactured commodity or its ingredients to the effluvium from drains, manure heaps, or any other source of contamination.

The bill contains provisions for the inspection of premises on much the same lines as the Eggs Bill. An inspector may at all reasonable times enter premises where dairy produce is manufactured for sale, and may inspect the machinery, utensils, the produce, and the ingredients and materials used in the manufacture. If the inspector is satisfied that the conditions of cleanliness, etc., are not being complied with he may serve a notice on the manufacturer requiring him to do all the things specified in the notice. Failure to comply with the requirements of the notice makes the defaulter liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding £20, and to a further penalty, not exceeding £5, for every day on which the default continues.

The Executive Council will appoint an arbitrator for the purpose of all those provisions mentioned. The arbitrator will hold office for five years from the date of his appointment, and not longer; but he shall be eligible for re-appointment. Any person who has had a notice of the kind indicated served on him by an inspector can have the matter referred to the arbitrator.

BUTTER FOR EXPORT.

Butter can be exported only from premises which are registered in the register of creameries, the register of manufacturing exporters, or the register of non-manufacturing exporters, and must be packed in accordance with the provisions of the Act. The butter and its package or wrapper must be marked in accordance with marks prescribed by the regulations. If exported from premises registered in the register of creameries the butter must be packed in those premises; it must not be removed from its package or wrapper; it must be clean; it must not contain water in excess of 16 per cent., and it must be exported direct from the premises by the registered proprietor. The bill makes it an offence to carry by land or sea butter which does not comply with the regulations, the penalty being a fine of £50, or, at the discretion of the Court, imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both fine and imprisonment. There are certain exceptions in regard to butter sent by parcel post.

The bill also contains provisions for the inspection of stores, docks, quays, railway wagons, etc., and inspectors are empowered to open packages and take samples. The giving of false information to, or the obstruction of an inspector is an offence punishable by a penalty not exceeding £5, and in the case of a subsequent, of £10.

All butter manufactured in creameries must be made from cream, separated on the premises (by the application of centrifugal force by mechanical power) from the commingled milk supplies of a number of cowkeepers, or of other premises registered in the register of cream-separating stations. All matters relating to the manufacture of butter on the premises must be under the control of a duly qualified manager, and every buttermaker and every person carrying out tests of milk for the purpose of determining the percentage of butter-fat must be duly qulified.

NATIONAL MARK.

As soon as registers of trade marks and of designs have been established in the Free State, and legislation passed enabling Ministers to acquire and register trade marks and designs, and to grant licenses for their use, it will be the duty of the Minister of Lands and Agriculture to establish "the national mark" for butter, and to grant licenses for its use. Licenses will be granted subject to the conditions that the national mark shall be applied only to butter of an approved standard and manufactured under approved conditions, and in the authorised premises specified in the license. A license may be revoked at any time on contravention of its conditions. The abuse or misuse of the national mark is an offence punishable by very substantial penalties.

Ample provisions for the prevention of the sale of unclean milk and butter are also contained in the bill. Penalties are prescribed for the offence of tendering or supplying any dirty, contaminated, or stale milk or cream. There are adequate provisions for securing the cleanliness of utensils used in a creamery or cream-separating station. The use of a dirty vessel for keeping milk or cream is an offence punishable by a penalty of £2 for the first offence, £5 in the case of a second offence, and £10 for a third or subsequent offence.

The schedules to the bill relate to the plant and machinery of creameries and cream-separating stations.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S MEALS.

EXTENSION OF SCHEME REFUSED.

The Minister for Finance has declined to sanction an extension of the existing school meals schemes to the Christian Brothers' Schools in Kingstown.

This matter was the subject of debate last night at the meeting of the Kingstown Urban Council, when a letter was read from the Secretary of the Local Government Ministry expressing regret at the Finance Minister's decision and informing the Council that, "although further representations had been made to him (the Minister for Finance) as to the desirability of the proposal, he has declined to alter his decision."

The Local Government Secretary's letter also informed the Council that the Minister for Local Government "proposed to introduce a clause for the purpose in pending public health legislation."

Mr. J. J. O'Leary moved a resolution that the Council learned with regret that the Ministry of Finance was in favour of discriminating against the pupils of the Christian Brothers' Schools in the matter of the supply of meals, and protested against that attitude of the Ministry.

Mr. Bentley seconded the motion, which was supported by Messrs. Cook and Byrne.

The Chairman said that the people of the urban district were prepared to pay for the cost of these meals, and if the policy of the Finance Minister were persisted in, it would not add to the popularity of the Government.

The resolution was adopted and ordered to be circulated to other public bodies.

The Northumberland Shipbuilding Co., Howden-on-Tyne, has booked an order for a second vessel of 8,000 tons for Messrs. Morel and Co., Cardiff.

RID YOURSELF OF DIGESTIVE MISERY.

Your stomach controls your life, affects your mental outlook, and makes or mars not only your own happiness, but that of those near and dear to you. Trace almost any disorder and you will find it commences in the stomach; headache, sleeplessness, sickness, blood and skin troubles, pain after eating—these and a hundred other complaints call for care of the stomach as the sole effective remedy. To be rid of stomach misery you can do no better than take simple, harmless, inexpensive Bisurated Magnesia, a remedy prescribed by doctors and used in hospitals. It stops stomach pain *instantly*; prevents fermentation and quickly restores the digestion to health and strength. It is used the world round; costs but a trifle at any chemist's for either powder or tablet form, and is the stomach sufferer's staunchest friend. *Why not try it to-day?*

THE INCOME TAX.

ATTEMPT TO REDUCE IT FAILS.

DEBATE ON FINANCE BILL.

In the Dail yesterday President Cosgrave announced that a scheme was on foot to convert Keogh military barracks into houses for the working classes.

The Finance Bill was debated at length. A proposal to reduce the income tax to 4s. 6d. in the £ was defeated, on the ground that the State could not afford to make any concession this year.

An amendment was proposed to reduce the duty on imported pianos. The Minister for Finance said that he had not been impressed by the traders' statement that the duty of 33 1-3 per cent. would injure business to a serious extent.

QUESTIONS.

MILITARY BARRACKS FOR HOUSING.

Mr. P. S. Doyle (Dublin) asked the President if it was the intention of the Government to hand over Keogh Barracks or any of the other military quarters in Dublin to the Dublin Housing authorities with a view to relieving the demand for houses; also if he would take into consideration the lack of accommodation for school children in the city, so that suitable buildings might be reserved for school purposes.

The President said that it had been decided to hand over Keogh Barracks for the purpose of a housing scheme. A proposal for the accommodation of the working-classes therein was under consideration by the Commissioners for the County Borough of Dublin.

It would be open to the promoters of the scheme to lease or sell portion of the buildings, if suitable, for the purpose of providing any necessary school accommodation. As regarded other barracks in Dublin, he was not at present in a position to say definitely whether any of them would be released from military occupation.

BROADCASTING.

In reply to a question by Mr. P. S. Doyle, the Postmaster-General said that he was unable to state at present when he would be in a position to submit to the Dail a broadcasting scheme for the Saorstat on the lines recommended by the Committee of the Dail. The matter, which involved a good deal of investigation and consideration, was receiving special attention, and no time would be lost in framing the scheme.

Mr. Doyle asked whether the Postmaster-General was aware that the Radio Association of Ireland had applied for a licence for amateur experimental transmission on short waves, and if such licence would be granted.

The Postmaster-General said that an application had been received from the Radio Association for a licence. The whole question of the conditions under which such licences could be granted was at present under consideration, and a decision in the matter would be arrived at very soon.

NAMES IN IRISH AND ENGLISH.

Mr. P. Hogan (Clare) asked the Minister of Justice if he had seen a signed statement by three members of a Strike Committee at Letterkenny Mental Hospital, to the effect that two strikers were placed under arrest for refusing to give their names in English.

Mr. O'Higgins said that he had inquiry made into the matter, and he was satisfied that two strikers were required by a guard to come to the asylum gate for identification after they had declined to spell their names or to give the English equivalent. It was merely a question of identification, and it was common knowledge that on the occasion of strikes picketers frequently resorted to obstruction. One should, he said, exercise a little commonsense in these matters. In the copy of the statement signed by the two persons in question, with the Irish form of their names, he noted that the words "Civic Guard" were used, although the official statutory title of the force was Garda Siochana. By the time members of the Fainne, such as one of them was reported to be, learned to give the police their proper Irish title, and thus show good example, he anticipated that most of the Gardai would in turn be able to identify people through the Irish form of their names.

DEFENCE FORCES.

TERMS OF ENLISTMENT.

President Cosgrave (Minister for Defence) moved the second reading of the bill to continue and amend the Defence Forces (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923, which expires on the 2nd August. The present measure continues the provisions of that measure, except as amended, until 31st March, 1925. As regards the *personnel* of the Army, President Cosgrave said that it was proposed to recruit about 50 per cent. for two years' service; some 10 per cent. for twelve years' service, and the remainder for periods of three, five or seven years. It was intended in the autumn to introduce a bill of a permanent character, to come into operation from 1st April, 1925.

Major Bryan Cooper expressed the view that 50 per cent. was too large a proportion to engage for so short a term as two years. He thought that the Army should be a small Army of expert men, with provision by means of cadet training, officers' training corps, and other measures, for expansion in case of need.

Mr. Johnson suggested that the debate might have been made the occasion of a statement of the views of the Executive Council as to the permanent organisation of the Army.

Mr. Figgis expressed agreement with Mr. Johnson on that point, and also welcomed the provision as to the taking of an oath of allegiance.

Mr. Nagle asked why there was a difference between the declarations required from officers and men respectively.

President Cosgrave replied that he would deal with that point in Committee. Proceeding, he said that he agreed with Major Cooper's remarks as to length of service, which had been borne out by their experience in the past twelve months. Last year it had been regarded as almost a necessity that they should not recruit beyond a period of eighteen months or two years. Now it was recognised that, if they were to have an efficient machine, such a period of two years was really too short to enable men to learn the profession of arms and become proficient in it.

He did not know that it would be possible to say what the policy of the Executive Council was with regard to the Army. The functions of the Army would depend very much on the requirements of the State for the time being. At one time they hoped to have got the Army concentrated in a few convenient places for training and discipline, but the people of places where small detachments had been posted objected to the removal of those detachments.

The bill passed its second reading.

FINANCIAL RESOLUTIONS.

The House resumed the consideration of the supplementary financial motions.

The Minister for Finance moved "that where, in the case of persons dying on or after the 1st April, 1924, property situate out of Saorstat Eireann is bequeathed to, or settled on, different persons in succession, and legacy duty or succession duty has, whether before or after the commencement of this Act, been paid thereon, such duty shall, for the purposes of Sub-Section (2) of Section 2 of the Finance Act, 1894 (which provides that property situate out of Saorstat Eireann shall be deemed to be included in property passing on the death of the deceased, only if legacy or succession duty is payable in respect thereof, or would be so payable but for the relationship of the person to whom it passes), be deemed payable in respect of the property on the death of each of those persons in succession, notwithstanding that the whole amount of the legacy was paid on one death only, as in the case of a legacy to one person."

He said that the resolution was necessitated by the effect of the decision of the British Courts in a case of the Attorney-General v. Burns in 1923, which upset, so far as Great Britain was concerned, a practice which prevailed from 1914 onwards. Presumably, had the case come before the Irish Courts, the same thing would have occurred. The British Government ratified the position by legislation of the Finance Act of last year, and the resolution that he proposed was in the same terms.

The resolution was passed.

The report stage of the financial resolution relative to the assessment of income tax on house property was then taken up.

Mr. Hewat said that he was afraid the Minister was tackling a very big question by piecemeal, to the detriment of a very worthy class—people who owned and lived in their own houses. One would have expected that in the present state of affairs the Government would not discourage, but rather encourage, people to purchase their own houses, and spread that principle.

Mr. John Good also protested against the resolution.

On a division, the resolution was passed by 46 votes to 10.

INCOME TAX.

The House went into Committee on the Finance Bill.

Mr. Conor Hogan (Clare) moved that the income tax be reduced from 5s. to 4s. 6d. in the pound. He said he believed it would be better for the Exchequer, as well as for the taxpayers, that the tax should be reduced to the level at which it was in the Six Counties and in Great Britain, where the conditions of life were easier, and where the amenities of civilisation were more perfect. (Laughter.) One effect of the higher income tax was the withdrawal of capital from the Saorstat, and the re-investment of it in England, and all that imposed a serious handicap on industrial effort.

Mr. Heffernan (Tipperary) supported the motion.

Major Bryan Cooper said that a very considerable number of taxpayers had gone out of the country in the past few years, and there had been consequent loss of employment and expenditure that benefited the country towns, and a loss of taxable capacity. If that was to be stopped desperate measures were needed: the Ministers would have to commit an act of faith and courage to lure those taxpayers back.

Mr. Figgis suggested that the yield of a tax at 4s. 6d. would not be less than that of the 5s. tax, so long as the latter were higher than the tax in Great Britain, and that there might not only be a higher yield from income tax itself, but from other taxes also, because of the advantage to industry. He believed it would be sound policy to bring the income tax lower than the income tax in Great Britain.

Mr. D'Alton claimed that the arguments used in support of the amendment justified a policy of protection.

LOWER SUGAR TAX PREFERRED.

Mr. Johnson said that he did not accept the suggestion of earlier speakers that a fall in revenue was not likely to result from reduction of income tax. If it were found, he argued, that the revenue derivable from 6d. in the £ income tax could be spared, then he would prefer to see a concession on the sugar tax.

Mr. Esmonde expressed the opinion that the finances of the country would permit a reduction of taxation.

Mr. Wilson pointed out that tax on sugar was responsible for the establishment of jam factories in the Free State, and brought employment to the people. To take a halfpenny tax off every pound of sugar would not benefit the consumers, but the middleman, while the State would lose half a million.

They thought of a county on their frontier where the income tax was 4s. 6d. The merchants there had the advantage of 6d. in the £ in income tax. They were able to compete against Dublin merchants, particularly in the West of Ireland. In addition to having cheaper overhead charges, they also had lower railway rates than existed in the Free State, the result being that they captured trade which ought to come through the Port of Dublin, and the Minister thereby lost revenue which he would gain if the trade went through its proper channel.

MINISTER'S REPLY.

Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, said that he found it difficult to believe that this motion was put forward seriously. The position was simply this—that there was a deficit. If they were to borrow money they could not go into the market to pay interest. They were not, and would not be, in a position to pay out of revenue interest on the money they had borrowed. That position was bad enough, and they could not afford to make it worse by adding half a million to the deficit which a reduction in the income tax, as proposed, would do.

He knew that high income tax handicapped development. But it would take a great deal of development in the Saorstat to give the Exchequer the equivalent of what they would lose by the proposed reduction.

People had left the country, but he did not think that they left because of the extra sixpence in the £. (Hear, hear.) They had left because of a feeling of insecurity, and fear of actual violence.

On a division, the resolution was defeated by 42 votes against 17.

President Cosgrave proposed the insertion of an amendment before Section 2, making an allowance to landlords for repairs to house property.

The amendment was adopted, and the section, as amended, was agreed to.

On Section 4, President Cosgrave moved for the insertion of a new section dealing with the method of charging cost of living bonus.

INVESTMENTS ABROAD.

At this point Mr. Johnson asked whether they were not giving away more than they received from the British Government in granting certain reliefs. He asked the Minister if the effect of such reciprocal arrangements was not to encourage Free State investors to send their money abroad.

Mr. Blythe said he hoped to have the information required in a few months. They allowed a good deal less than was allowed by the British Government, and gained in the exchange. There was, however, a wider question that would have to be considered—that was: whether it was advantageous to give facilities for the owner of money in this country to invest it abroad.

Section 4 was then declared part of the bill.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Mr. Darrell Figgis proposed, as an amendment to Section 10, that the duty on musical instruments, including gramophones, pianolas, or other similar instruments, be reduced from 33 1-3 per cent. to 15 per cent. He had been informed, he said, that some of the larger shops in Dublin contemplated closing their premises or dispensing with a large portion of their staffs. In proposing this reduction he did so in the belief that it would be good for trade and for employment. He understood that the trade had given a guarantee to the Minister that if the duty was reduced from 33 1-3 to 20 per cent. there would be no loss of revenue.

President Cosgrave said that the retention of the duty might be regarded as in accord with the experiments in protection represented by new duties. If there were piano manufacturers in Ireland with sufficient interest in their business to start piano manufacture they had a good chance. This time last year it was represented that the motor tax was prohibitive, penal, impossible, and would ruin the motor trade; but the present fact was that unfortunate people who must walk along the streets were almost covered with dust by reason of the number of motors. This was a luxury and protective tax. He did not suppose that there were many persons who would pay £110 for an instrument and refuse to take it at £120, and he saw no good case for the amendment.

Major Bryan Cooper said that as a protective duty the duty on musical instruments had been an utter failure. No potential pianomaker in Ireland had taken advantage of it. The duty had disappeared in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and acceptance of the amendment would do something to make the contrast between Northern Ireland and the Free State not too great.

Mr. Johnson said he did not believe that the number of pianos sold would be increased very much by the proposed reduction of the duty.

The Minister for Finance said that he had received representations from people in the trade, but had taken them with the proverbial grain of salt. They were always hearing of firms that would go out of business, unless some particular tax were removed, and the trade statement had not impressed him very much. He had no guarantee, and in the circumstances could not have any guarantee, that the yield of revenue from the duty would not be diminished. So far as the protective effect was concerned, in respect of any of these duties in this country, it had really been in existence only for the past year; because, so long as Ireland was one fiscal entity with England, which was much more highly developed industrially, these duties were certainly of no protective value to Irish manufacturers. He did not know whether pianos could really be produced here (even though a great number of essential parts were imported) so as to compete on the market.

ANOTHER QUESTION.

Major Cooper—Will the Minister consider removing the tax on the essential parts in order that that may be tested?

Mr. Blythe said that that was another question. There had been no demand for such an alteration. Continuing, he said that some revenue was obtained from the duty—about £35,000 a year. If the amendment were to get general support he would rather drop the duty altogether than reduce it, because the reduced duty would not be worth collecting. He preferred, however, to keep it for what it was worth.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Davin (for Mr McGarry), in Section 7, moved an amendment, which sought to remit duties on cinematograph films.

The amendment was defeated.

Mr. Heffernan proposed a further amendment to the same section, the object of which was to remit "the McKenna" duties on imported motor cars, motor cycles, motor tricycles accessories, and component parts.

The amendment was lost, as also was an amendment which sought to remit the duty on imported chassis of motor cars.

Amendments by the same deputy to exempt imported motor cars of a value not exceeding £200, cars manufactured in France, Canada, or the U.S.A., or accessories or component parts of cars to the value of £1, were withdrawn.

Mr. Johnson moved an amendment, the object of which was, he said, to encourage the industry of bottling fruit in the Saorstat.

Mr. Blythe said that bottling should be encouraged, as it would have the effect of stimulating the growth of fruit in this country. He accepted the amendment.

Mr. Heffernan moved an amendment, the object of which, he said, was to exempt jams and marmalades from duty, except such duty as was based on their sugar contents.

This amendment was defeated, and at 9.30 the further discussion of the Finance Bill was adjourned till to-day.

NEW FELLOW AND SCHOLARS AT TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.
Front Row—H. C. Baker, Miss E. A. Ardagh, W. F. Starkie (Fellow), Miss M. R. Boyd, E. T. Walton.
Second Row—T. F. Carey, Miss E. A. Bland, A. J. McConnell, W. J. Jessop.
Back Row—W. A. Newman, R. E. Brown, E. P. West, M. S. McIntosh, A. H. S. Fletcher, A. W. McKenzie, F. G. Stewart.

ELLIS ISLAND, NEW YORK.

DEPORTED CORK WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

The conditions on Ellis Island, New York, were described yesterday by Mrs. Mary O'Farrell, who, with her infant son, was deported by the United States immigration officials and arrived at her father's home in Cork last Sunday.

As was reported in the *Irish Times* of Monday last, Mrs. O'Farrell left Queenstown in May, with her child, to rejoin her husband, who resides in America. The immigration authorities ruled that the child, who was born in Ireland, was in excess of the British and Irish quota, and she was sent to Ellis Island pending her deportation.

In a description of the island during her stay there, Mrs. O'Farrell said that there were altogether 2,400 immigrants of various nationalities—Italians, Hungarians, Portuguese and coloured people. They were herded so closely together that to move about was almost impossible. She had to keep her baby in one arm all day, and whatever little clothing she was able to bring from the liner in a basket in the other arm. Her two trunks had disappeared, and she has heard nothing since about them. The only place where they could rest all day was on long seats along the walls.

In one thing only Mrs. O'Farrell was fortunate—she and her baby got a bed between them. Others did not fare so well. Several persons of mixed nationalities had to sleep in one bed. The food was so bad that from the time of her removal to Ellis Island on Monday evening until she was put on board the liner on Friday evening Mrs. O'Farrell tasted no solid food, and had instead milk only three times a day. In consequence her health was much affected.

In Ellis Island all the immigrants had to retire to bed at 7 o'clock every evening, when the doors were locked, and had to arise at 5.30 in the morning. On the Friday morning that she was there she was allowed to see her husband for half an hour. He was not permitted to bring in food or clothing. That afternoon at about 4 o'clock her name was called out, and she was brought down to the Adriatic, where an armed guard was kept outside her cabin door until the sailing of the liner. Her husband was allowed to see her before the ship left on Saturday morning, and he brought clothing for herself and their boy.

METHODIST CHURCH.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE OPENED.

The annual conference of the Methodist Church in Ireland was opened in Wesley Chapel Cork, yesterday. The Rev. T. Ferrier Hulme, M.A., President of the Conference, presided.

The Rev. Mr. Ker, Secretary of the Conference, offered a hearty welcome to the President and his companions, the Rev. W. Russell Maltby and the Rev. W. Harold Beales.

The President replied, observing that he and his companions were all sons of the manse.

The Revs. F. Cullen and J. R. Roddie were appointed to prepare the Presidential address for 1925. The Secretary announced that the Rev. John Good had attained his diamond jubilee, having travelled for sixty years, and the Revs. W. Budds, T. Boyd, and William Harper had completed fifty years in the ministry.

They received the congratulations of the Conference.

The Rev. R. Ker was elected to fill the vacancy in the Legal Hundred, caused by the death of the Rev. J. Spence.

Satisfactory reports on the following candidates for the ministry were received:—Messrs. Farrell, Farley, Cullen, D. Ludlow, R. Ludlow, Steward Graham, Holland, Green, Keys, M. Conachan, M. Veigh, Nelson, Quinn, Boyd, and Stafford.

The Conference regretfully accorded permission to retire from active work to the Revs. J. W. Johnston, J. Dickson, J. Hutchinson, and J. Kirkwood.

A resolution approving of the Temperance Reform Bill about to the introduced in the Dail was unanimously adopted.

It is in the hard school of life that men get the best learning.—Lord Leverhulme.

You and I know that borrowing is part of the national tradition.—Mr. W. Graham (Financial Secretary to the Treasury).

WIRELESS AND LIGHTNING.

SOME SIMPLE SAFETY DEVICES.

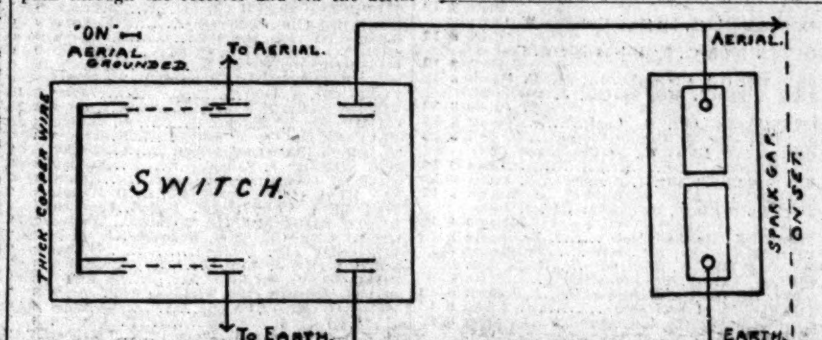
There are so many contradictory statements as to whether an aerial makes a house more liable to be struck by lightning or not that a few words of advice on the subject may be helpful.

Lightning, like other forms of electrical energy, is very lazy, and always tries to reach the earth by the easiest path—that is by the path that offers the least resistance to it. If there are several paths open, it will spread itself through them all, most of the discharge passing through the path which offers the least resistance. If the only way possesses high resistance to the discharge, it will make a way for itself, usually by bursting through, with more or less disastrous results.

In the case of a house bearing a wireless aerial there are paths of different resistance through which the discharge can pass to earth. There is:—(1) The aerial, *via* the receiver and the earth wire; (2) the aerial and across the air gap between the lead-in and the earth wire; (3) the ends of the aerial and *via* the supports to the ground; and (4) the house itself.

The aerial is a low-resistance conductor compared with the other paths, but in path No. 1 there is not only the resistance of the receiver windings, which may be small, but another property known as inductance, which tends to oppose any flow of current. This makes path No. 1 offer a fairly high opposition to the passage of the discharge. The second path, across the aerial-earth gap, has a higher resistance still, the intervening air-gap requiring a high pressure to break down its insulation.

The remaining paths will offer a resistance depending on their state—whether they are short, dry, or close to the ends of the aerial. If they are damp, the chances are that quite a large proportion of the charge will pass along them to earth, the damage done being in proportion to their resistances. The most likely event is that most of the current will dissipate itself between the path through the receiver and *via* the aerial supports, unless an easy path for the discharge to pass to the ground is provided.



There is already a path of low resistance in the aerial and the earth connection, except for the receiver or the gap between aerial and earth, but it can be made more easy by reducing this resistance. One way of doing this is to connect the aerial wire to the earth wire through a switch, and another is to reduce the size of the gap.

The switch is the better way, or the two methods can be used together. Many people make the mistake of merely connecting a switch across the aerial and earth terminals of the set. While this provides a path to earth for the discharge, there is still an alternative path through the receiver, so it is better to fit a switch which entirely disconnects the set from the aerial. A small spark-gap also provides a path of lower resistance than the windings of the receiver, and forms a protection by allowing charges to pass to earth even if the receiver is in use. At the same time it offers a high resistance to the small currents actuated in the aerial by the broadcast signals, so that it can remain connected while the set is in use.

Both forms of protection should be situated outside the building, the most convenient method being to place them inside a box. The switch should be closed whenever the set is not in use. The spark-gap does not require any adjustment beyond an occasional clean.

The diagram shows the connection of the switch and gap to the set. The switch is a double-pole, double-throw, and the arms and contact blades should have a large area. The Trumbull switch is specially made for such work, and is very robust. The spark gap may consist of two strips of brass screwed to a piece of ebonite, or better still, two pieces of brass rod fitted to supporting brackets. A sparking plug from a motor-cycle makes an excellent gap.

Every set should be fitted with an earthing switch. It should invariably be closed when the set is out of use. The risk of lightning damaging the set will be reduced to a minimum.

An aerial attached to a house does not increase the danger of the building being struck—in fact, if the aerial-earth switch is fitted, the danger is greatly reduced. Such a device is always incorporated in a commercial receiver.

A spark-gap should be as small as possible, the thickness of a telephone diaphragm being about right. It must be kept free from dust, or the signal strength will fall off, even if it has not the effect of earthing it altogether.

THE LATE MR. FRANCIS W. GRIFFIN.

The funeral of Mr. Francis W. Griffin, manager of Messrs. J. McDowell's jewellery shop, 3 Upper Sackville street, Dublin, took place yesterday to Mount Jerome Cemetery. Canon H. Stewart (St. Stephen's Church) officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were Mrs. Griffin (mother), and Miss H. T. Griffin (cousin).

The attendance also included:—Mr. and Mrs. M'Dowell, Master J. M'Dowell, Mrs. K. M'Dowell and Mrs. Pratt, W. H. Carry, H. Walters, E. Walters, George Mahon, W. A. Fryer, E. Fryer, E. Fogarty, J. Green, Mrs. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Quinn, B. M'Cann, K. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, J. F. Lowe, E. Henry, Mrs. M. Kenny, John Kenny, K. Kenny, P. Gleeson, J. Tannam, Mrs. Young, J. Kearnon, Mrs. H. Fleming, T. Trench, W. Keelan, W. Jackson, R. C. Fleming, M. Growcock, P. Walsh, W. H. Lewis, James Fleming, Mrs. Kinlen, M. K. Bhatigan, Mrs. Usher, T. W. Rice, Mrs. Barbour, Miss Barbour, Mr. M'Cracken, Miss M'Cracken, Mr. James M'Dowell, Mrs. M'Cann.

PROTECTION OF BIRDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Perhaps, some of your readers can inform me if the Wild Birds' Protection Act and the Game Laws of the old *régime* are still in force in the Free State. If these Acts are still in force, it seems strange that the authorities cannot restrict the operations of the "sportsmen" who are to be found all over County Dublin engaged in shooting wild fowl.

The poacher gets very little consideration at any time, but he is surely as much a sportsman as the "gentleman" who shoots birds during the close season.—Yours, etc.,

W. E. BAILIE.

4 Kildare place, Dublin, June 17th, 1924.

To talk like a book is fatal to conversation.—Sir Chartres Biron.

£1,000 A WEEK IN STRIKE PAY.

IRISH TRANSPORT UNION CONFERENCE.

REMARKABLE FIGURES.

"The Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, during the past five years, has paid out in strike benefits money averaging £1,000 a week continuously over the period."

This statement is contained in the Executive's annual report, which was submitted yesterday at the opening, in the head office, 35 Rutland square, Dublin, of the first annual delegate conference of the Union under new rules. Only two branches out of close on 300 were unrepresented.

AN EXPENSIVE YEAR.

The Union's balance sheet shows a credit balance of £133,700 at the beginning of the year and £58,462 at the end of the year. On the revenue account the expenditure for 1923 is given as £159,465 and the income as £83,160, leaving a debit balance of £76,305.

The year 1923—it is stated in the auditors' report—was a particularly expensive one for the Union on account of the number of strikes and the prolonged periods during which they lasted. The amount paid by the Union in dispute pay during 1923 was £128,724, or nearly four times as much as in the year 1922.

The auditors' report includes the following statement:—

> "Having regard to the considerable depletion in the funds of the Union during the year, every effort ought to be made by the Executive Council to bring the funds of the Union to the same strong position in which they were at the beginning of the year. Last year we called attention to the large number of loans outstanding. During the year the loans have been considerably increased, notably one loan for a rather long period. We are of opinion that the funds of the Union should be placed in readily realisable securities, even though a lower rate of interest would be obtained."

The Executive's report states that the Transport Union suffered severely during 1923 owing to the unprecedented depression in agriculture and industry and the unparalleled unemployment prevailing throughout the whole country.

In addition the Union had to bear the brunt of the general onslaught of the employers against the wages obtained in previous years, and for the greater part of the year it was hampered in all its activities by an abnormal internal crisis. Notwithstanding all those difficulties, however, the Union's record in 1923 would bear comparison with any year since its establishment.

£1,000 A WEEK IN BENEFITS.

In the five years ending December, 1923, the Union had expended out of its own funds £260,000 in dispute benefit. The total income in the same period was £436,000.

In 1923, says the report, the employers of the whole country combined to beat down the wages rates, and by the end of the year scarcely a section of the Union had escaped a struggle and a more or less severe reduction in wages.

The report attributes a series of "lock-outs" to the union crisis, and condemns the action of "wreckers" who, the report alleges, used a section of the Dublin seamen in precipitating a national lock-out of the dockers.

"DARK CLOUDS."

After a detailed account of the dispute with Mr. James Larkin and the subsequent law actions, the report states:—"The year thus closed with dark clouds of uncertainty and suspense overhanging all the activities of the union. . . . These proceedings have involved the union in serious trouble and heavy expense. . . . Yet, in the long run, this trouble and expense may have been well worth while."

The report finally observes that recent events had shown that the present stage of class consciousness among Irish workers left much to be desired. Most of the very workers who would fight hardest to maintain control of wages would hand over complete political control to the employing class. Then, having surrendered that valuable weapon to the employers, they demanded of their union to do the impossible. The strongly organised groups of workers had maintained high wage levels, but the weaker groups had suffered in proportion to their weakness.

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH.

Alderman William O'Brien, who presided at yesterday's conference, expressed regret at the absence of the General President, Mr. Thomas Foran, who, after his illness, has recovered sufficiently to travel to Geneva as the representative of the Irish Trade Union Congress at the International Labour Conference.

The Chairman referred to the conference as "the most important gathering in the union's history."

Much of the criticism and attack of the past twelve months, he said, centred around the new rules, and a great deal had been said about the method of passing the rules. The judgment of the Master of the Rolls had made it quite clear that the Executive had gone out of its way in order to ensure that the rules should be properly discussed and adopted.

The Chairman pointed out that in 1915 there was only one full-time Executive officer; in 1918, when a proper Executive began to function regularly, there were three; last year the number of general officers had been increased to five, and the number of Executive members from 11 to 14. Other important changes had been made, but more important than all was the setting up of that delegate conference, which, for the first time in the union's history, placed responsibility and authority in the hands of the elected representatives of the members.

Was not this the real cause of the attacks on the new rules and on the Executive Council that drafted them? the Chairman asked.

Under those rules the union no longer could be run as a "one-man show," but must be controlled and directed by those entitled to speak on behalf of the members.

After the Chairman's address the conference proceeded to discuss the question of Standing Orders, the election of the Standing Orders Committee, etc.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

Commissioner and Mrs. Booth Tucker, of the Salvation Army, will pay a special visit to Dublin this week, and will conduct Services in George's Hall on next Saturday and Sunday. A special lecture will be delivered by Mrs. Booth Tucker on Sunday next at 3 p.m. on the subject, "India's Millions." On Sunday evening she will preach in the Centenary Church, St. Stephen's Green.

For a year Mrs. Booth Tucker was in charge of the Salvation Army's work in Ireland, and shared with the Commissioner the leadership of the work in India from 1906 to 1919.

STRAY CARRIER PIGEONS.

Miss L. Casey, c/o Mrs. B. P. Wade, Maryville, Galway, is taking care of a stray carrier pigeon marked 582 E and other figures. Mr. W. H. Cobbe, Ballycullane, Portarlington, is taking care of a pigeon marked D 110 F 25 and other figures.

CHURCH SERVICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Rathmines (a Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services, at which all are welcome—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Church Building, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Open on Wednesdays from 11 to 7.30 and Saturdays from 11 to 7 o'clock. Sunday 4 to 6.30.

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Supplemental—The Rev. J. W. Crozier, the Very Rev. C. T. Ovenden, D.D.; the Rev. W. Baillie, the Rev. D. C. Green, B.D.; and the Rev. E. J. Young, B.D.

Lay—Mr. W. G. Wakely, Mr. Justice FitzGibbon, Mr. J. A. Maconchy, the Right Hon. Lord Glenavy, Sir John W. Moore, M.D.; the Right Hon. A. W. Samuels, LL.D.; Mr. William Ireland, the Right Hon. Sir W. J. Goulding, Bart.; Mr. R. Blair White, Professor W. E. Thrift, S.F.,T.C.D.; Mr. A. D. Price, M.A.I.; Mr. William C. Stubbs, Mr. T. H. Maxwell, K.C.; Mr. R. Hinde, Mr. P. H. Grierson, Mr. A. T. Barber, Mr. G. W. Shannon, Sir W J. Smyly, M.D.; Mr. F. W. Price, K.C.; Mr. W. M. Jellett, K.C.; Sir Thomas Robinson, Mr. R. B. McVittie, M.D.; Mr. L. E. Steele, Mr. J. M. Butler, Mr. T. O. Graham, M.D.; Sir R. W. Tate, S.F., T.C.D.; Mr. G. W. Walker, K.C.; Lord Ardee, Mr. F. D. Darley, Mr. E. P. Culverwell, S.F.,T.C.D.; Mr. S. P. Wilmot, and Mr. E. H. Alton, F.,T.C.D.

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Supplemental—His Honour Judge Conner, the Right Hon. Lord HolmPatrick, Lord Ardee, Mr. A. T. Barber, Mr. A. Jameson, and Mr. C. St. G. Orpen.

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Lay—Mr. W. G. Wakely.

Supplemental—The Right Hon. A. W. Samuels, LL.D., and Mr. Justice FitzGibbon.

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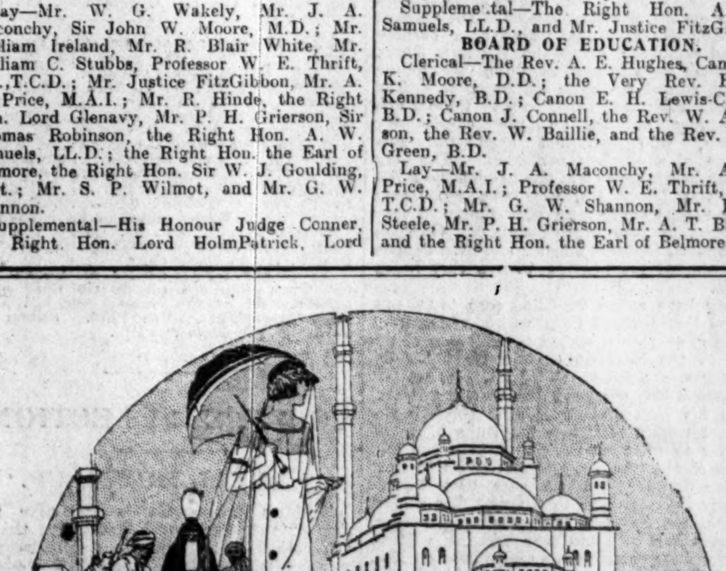

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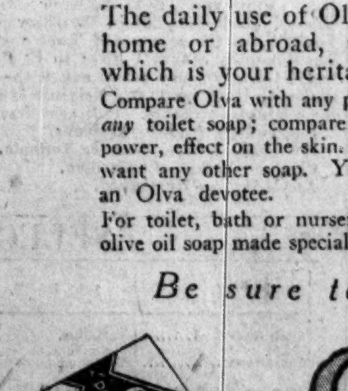

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

SCULLION LANDS THE STAKES.

TOM PINCH'S RECOVERY.

HUNT CUP TO-DAY.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Tuesday Night.

I suppose the most remarkable of many remarkable happenings at Ascot this afternoon was the fact that Tom Pinch proved that he is no longer a butt for cartoonists, and that he may even have been a little unlucky to lose the Derby this year. In the St. James's Palace Stakes here he very completely justified the high opinion that his trainer, Fred. Darling, has always had of him, for he beat the Derby second, St. Germans, after the manner of a high-class colt. There was no flinching, no lack of resolution and no faint-heartedness, such as many of his critics have ascribed to him.

Archibald was put up on him again, and the partnership was a happy one, for Tom Pinch made all the running and beat St. Germans by two lengths. St. Germans once got to his withers, but the moment Archibald shook him up he came right away and beat Lord Astor's honest little colt with an amount in hand that I would not care to estimate.

SANSOVINO'S CANTER.

We saw Sansovino win the Prince of Wales's Stakes in a canter by four lengths from Henri and Parmenio. He really had nothing much to do. Parmenio, as in the Derby, dropped back in the early stages of the race, and was coming again at the finish; but he never had a chance with the winner, who stayed the mile and five furlongs in great style. The race won by Sansovino was the fifth of the afternoon, and Lord Derby's colt was the first favourite to win. It would be difficult even for the most desperate plunger to get his losses back, as Sansovino started at 9 to 4 on.

A family tradition was carried on when Mr. George Hardy's Scullion won the Ascot Stakes by two lengths from the French horse Keror, whom Lord Woolavington bought in France last year for something like half a million francs. Like last year's winner, Juniso, Scullion was sired by the Westmeath stallion, Junior, who is making (or should I say has made?) for himself a great reputation as a sire of high-class stayers. The late Mr. Fred Hardy had some notable Ascot successes with Happy Man, and Scullion is one of the horses he bequeathed to his son, Mr. George Hardy, at his death early this year.

Captain Hogg took Scullion to Manchester last week to run for the King Coal Stakes, but when he saw the state of the going he sent him back to Russley. Had he been started and won there he might have incurred a penalty which would have just put him out of this valuable event.

BEST BETTING RACE.

The Ascot Stakes was quite the best betting race of the afternoon, for no fewer than eleven of the fourteen candidates had plenty of backers. The winner was a 10 to 1 chance, as were Miwani and Scapino; while Keror was favourite from London Cry and Mizzen Mast. London Cry was rather an unlucky horse, for he could not keep his place in the early stages, and when Wragg did move him up he was greatly interfered with; in fact, it was almost an exact repetition of his performance in the Cesarewitch last year. After Santavon had gone off in his usual flashy style, and had begun to weaken after covering a mile, George Blackwell's mean-looking three-year-old, Miss Meadows, took up the running.

Her prominent position was short-lived, however, for Keror, Miwani, and Scullion joined her on entering the straight. Below the distance Smirke rushed Scullion into the lead. Keror may be a great stayer but he has not much pace, and he could make no impression on Scullion, who won easily. The game little Miwani stayed on to get third place, while Star Chamber, who had been tailed off in the early stages, was fourth. If Keror is started for the Alexandra Plate on Friday he would, I should say, have a great chance.

Over the first race, the Trial Stakes, the heavy bettors spread themselves on Shri, with a saver for Pondoland, who was thought to be going to win a race at last for Mr. S. B. Joel. Neither was ever in the race with a chance, for Mr. James White's outsider, Brimstone, jumped off in front, and beat Shambles comfortably by three parts of a length. The second might conceivably have won with a stronger jockey, for he carried Orme all over the course.

IRON MASK DISAPPOINTS.

In the Coventry Stakes Iron Mask was thought an even better thing than Shri. Mrs. Whitburn's gelding never had a chance against Iceberg, who on his form this season had no pretensions to win, but here scored easily by two lengths. The lucky association of Mr. C. F. Kenyon and Captain "Bob" Davis had the most notable triumph that has yet fallen to them, when the three-year-old Audlem won the Gold Vase very comfortably from the Manton pair, Baton Rouge and Puttenden, one of whom might have been closer up had they not collided. Soldumeno was a runner in this race, but he never showed with a chance, nor did Teresina. The market, however, indicated that Caprier, a French-trained candidate, owned by the Aga Khan, was much more fancied than the filly, for he started second favourite to Dunmow. The market indicated, too, that there was no money at all on the course for Audlem, who had not even the distinction of a separate quotation. The only well-backed horse to win throughout the afternoon was Margeritta, who won the Queen Mary Stakes easily from Blue Fairy. I may add that in Tom Pinch's race St. Germans was a much better favourite, and thus backers have started the meeting with a very heavy deficit.

They have a fine gambling race to-morrow in the Royal Hunt Cup, which will attract a field of average size. At the call over of the card at the Beaufort Club to-night Twelve Pointer was favourite at 8 to 1. As we left the course this afternoon Mr. Persse was still using his high diplomatic gifts through the telegraph office to induce the Duke of Westminster to alter his decision not to run any horses at the meeting, and allow him to start Twelve Pointer. I am sure that Twelve Pointer if he does go to the post has a good chance, but he is not always too generous. Torlonia has been too near winning without getting there to make one really keen on him, although Mr. Lambton does fancy his chance. I maintain the view, more than once expressed here, that MINK is most favourably handicapped, and I take this charming and very genuine Irish filly to win from Minority—much expected by the Kenyon-Davis stable—and Jaunting Car.

MUMTAZ MAHAL AGAIN.

The most attractive item of the day will be seeing Mumtaz Mahal again trying to get the mile in the Coronation Stakes, where Straitlace has to give her seven pounds. I do not believe in the ability of Mumtaz Mahal to get a strongly run mile, but the problem here is an interesting one, for her great initial speed might get her so far ahead at the end of six furlongs that Straitlace might not be able to make up the ground with her disadvantage in the weights. There may be danger from the Manton filly, Neigeuse, who has a pull of seven pounds with the grey, and fourteen with Straitlace. Mr. R. C. Dawson is confident MUMTAZ MAHAL will win, and it might be as well to follow his sage opinion. Mr. Dawson should win the Waterford Stakes with DIOPHON, PINNACE is a likely candidate for the Bessborough Stakes, and HURSTWOOD should win the Ascot Derby.

GALTEE MORE.

"FORM" HORSES.

ASCOT.

1.30—Ceinturon.
2.30—Frater.
3.0—Double Dutch.
3.30—Hurstwood.
4.0—Straitlace.
4.30—Mumtaz Mahal.
5.0—Diophon.
DOUBLE—Hurstwood (nap) and Diophon.

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—Double — Diophon and Sunart. To-day's best—Diophon.
Daily News:—Double — Ceinturon and Diophon.
Daily Express:—Double — Torlonia and Hurstwood. Safety bet—Torlonia (each way).
Daily Mirror:—Double — Hurstwood and Mumtaz Mahal.
Daily Graphic:—Double—Polyphontes and Gurzil.
Daily Mail:—Special selection—Sunart.

ASCOT RESULTS.

1.30—TRIAL STAKES. 7 f. 166 yards.
Mr. J. White's b. g. BRIMSTONE, by Rock Flint—Bernera, 3, 7-5 ...McLachlan, jun. 1
Mr. Hornung's SHAMBLES, 3, 7-1 ...A. Orme 2
Mr. C. Whitburn's ARGENTINE, 3, 7-9 R. Jones 3
Also ran—Pondoland (McLachlan), Wellwisher (Elliott), Shri (Archibald), Amethystine (Beary), Phalange (Weston), Patagonia (Marlwood), Madame Marjory (F. Wilson), Quentin Durward (H. Leach). Off 1.32. (Winner trained by Ward.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Shri, 7 to 2 Pondoland, 9 to 2 Shambles, 10 to 1 Amethystine, 100 to 8 BRIMSTONE or any other.
Won by half a length; three lengths.

2.30—ASCOT STAKES (Handicap), £20 each, £10 ft., with £2,000 added. Second £500, third £200. 2 m.
Mr. G. Hardy's b. c. SCULLION, by Junior—Mullion, 4, 7-11 ...C. Smirke 1
Lord Woolavington's KEROR, 5, 9-0 G. Archibald 2
Sir H. Lawson's MIWANI, 6, 8-3 G. Richards 3
Mr. Hornung's Light Dragoon, 6, 9-0 ...H. Jelliss 0
Vicomte Fontarce's Brownhylda, 4, 8-7 G. Hulme 0
His Majesty's London Cry, 5, 8-6 ...H. Wragg 0
Sir G. Bullough's Star Chamber, 4, 8-4 C. Elliott 0
M. M. Calmann's Scapino, 4, 8-1 ...F. Bullock 0
Sir H. Randall's Rosemead, 4, 7-4 ...T. Weston 0
Mr. Blackwell's Miss Meadows, 3, 6-13 McLachlan, jun. 0
Capt. A. M. Ker's Santavon, 7, 6-11 ...H. Leach 0
Mr. Plevins' Flint Jack, 7, 8-12 ...G. Smith 0
Lady Nelson's Mizzen Mast, 6, 8-0 W. Lister 0
Mr. W. M. Singer's Becka, 4, 7-11 S. Donoghue 0
Off 2.32. (Winner trained by Hogg.)
Betting—11 to 2 agst. Keror, 7 to 1 London Cry, 9 to 1 Mizzen Mast, 10 to 1 each SCULLION, Miwani and Scapino, 100 to 9 Becka, 100 to 8 each Light Dragoon, Brownhylda, Star Chamber and Rosemead, 20 to 1 any other.
After a short delay, through the tapes being broken, Santavon settled down from Rosemead, Scapino, Scullion, Keror and Brownhylda. Scapino went out of the straight attending upon Santavon, with Keror and Mizzen Mast next. Brownhylda fell at the bend for home, where Keror took the lead, but he was headed a quarter of a mile from home by Scullion, who won by two lengths; three lengths separated second and third. Star Chamber was fourth and London Cry fifth. Time—3 mins. 31 3-5 secs.
Draw for places—No. 1 (outside), Mizzen Mast; 2, Star Chamber; 3, Miss Meadows; 4, Keror; 5, Miwani; 6, Becka; 7, Light Dragoon; 8, Scapino; 9, Brownhylda; 10, Flint Jack; 11, Scullion; 12, Rosemead; 13, Santavon; 14, London Cry.

3.0—COVENTRY T.Y.O. STAKES, £10 each, with £1,000 added. 5 f.
Lord Dynevor's b. c. ICEBERG, by Lemberg—Freesia, 9-0 ...F. Lane 1
Mrs. S. Whitburn's IRON MASK, 8-11 R. Jones 2
Lord Dewar's CONSTANTINE, 9-0 G. Archibald 3
His Majesty's Runnymede, 9-0 ...H. Wragg 0
Sir A. Bailey's Son of Spring, 9-0 ...M. Beary 0
Sir D. Broughton's Golden Evening, 9-0 V. Smyth 0
Mr. V. Thompson's Dalmagarry, 9-0 C. Smirke 0
Lord Glanely's Sunderland, 9-0 ...S. Ingham 0
Mr. J. B. Joel's Marksman, 9-0 ...S. Donoghue 0
Mr. W. Waldron's Ascot Lad, 9-0 B. Carslake 0
Off 3.2. (Winner trained by Moreton.)
Betting—Evens Iron Mask, 9 to 2 agst. ICEBERG, 8 to 1 Constantine, 100 to 8 each Runnymede, Marksman, and Dalmagarry, 20 to 1 any other.
The running was made by Golden Evening from Iron Mask, Iceberg, and Runnymede. Iceberg took the lead about a quarter of a mile from home, and won easily by two lengths; same. Golden Evening was fourth, Runnymede fifth, and Marksman next.

3.30—GOLD VASE, value £250 (given by His Majesty), with £550 added to a sweepstakes £20 each. Second £200, third £100. 2 m.
Mr. C. Kenyon's ch. c. AUDLEM, by Bachelor's Double—Luxury, 3, 7-12 ...C. Smirke 1
Mr. S. Tattersall's BATON ROUGE, 5, 9-8 V. Smyth 2
Mr. W. Cazalet's PUTTENDEN, 5, 9-13 J. Childs 3
Lady Bullough's Soldumeno, 4, 9-9 ...C. Elliott 0
Mrs. S. Whitburn's Harpenden, 5, 9-8 R. Jones 0
H.H. Aga Khan's Teresina, 4, 9-4 ...G. Hulme 0
H.H. Aga Khan's Caprier, 4, 8-4 ...Gardner 0
Lord Derby's Dunmow, 3, 7-12 ...T. Weston 0
Sir J. Harrington's Golden, 3, 7-12 ...F. Lane 0
Mr. J. White's Cloudbank, 3, 7-5 ...M. Beary 0
Mr. L. Roberts's Labadens, 3, 7-5 S. Donoghue 0
Off 3.33. (Winner trained by C. Davis.)
Betting—9 to 4 agst. Dunmow, 100 to 30 Teresina, 6 to 1 Caprier, 8 to 1 each Puttenden and Labadens, 10 to 1 Baton Rouge, 100 to 7 AUDLEM or any other.
The tapes were twice broken before a good start was effected. Caprier then led out from Dunmow, Audlem, and Teresina. About six furlongs from home Audlem took up the running, with Cloudbank next. Baton Rouge challenged in the straight, but Audlem held his own, and won by two lengths; three lengths separated second and third. Labadens was fourth, and Soldumeno next.

4.0—PRINCE OF WALES'S STAKES, £50 h. ft., with £1,000 added, for three-year-olds. 1 m. 5 f.
Lord Derby's b. c. SANSOVINO, by Swynford—Gondolette, 9-5 ...T. Weston 1
Mr. W. Raphael's HENRI, 8-3 ...G. Archibald 2
Lord Rosebery's PARMENIO, 9-1 ...C. Elliott 3
Sir A. Bailey's Bucks Yeoman, 8-3 ...M. Beary 0
Mr. S. Tattersall's Mondamin, 8-3 ...F. Lane 0
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's Eaglestone, 8-3 G. Walsh 0
Off 4.4. (Winner trained by Lambton.)
Betting—9 to 4 on SANSOVINO, 6 to 1 agst. Parmenio, 10 to 1 Henri, 20 to 1 any other.
Henri set a strong pace to Eaglestone, Sansovino, and Bucks Yeoman. Sansovino joined Henri in the straight, and won in a canter by four lengths; two lengths separated second and third. Eaglestone was fourth; others beaten off.

4.30—QUEEN MARY STAKES, £10 each, with £1,000 added for the winner, £200 for second, and £100 for third, for two-year-old fillies. 5 f.
Lord Woolavington's ch. f. MARGERITTA, by Charles O'Malley—Concy, 8-12 ...G. Archibald 1
Mr. T. Ratcliffe's BLUE FAIRY, 8-12 H. Jelliss 2
Mr. J. Baird's ALGA F., 8-12 ...G. Richards 3
Lord Astor's Miss Gadabout, 8-12 ...F. Bullock 0
Mrs. J. Bancroft's Purple Royal, 8-12 V. Smyth 0
Major Barclay's Vera, 8-12 ...Perryman 0
Sir H. Bird's Galloper Queen, 8-12 ...F. Fox 0
Lady Fitzwilliam's Fraxinella, 8-12 McLachlan 0
Mr. J. Fox's China Ware f., 8-12 ...C. Elliott 0
Mr. P. Gilpin's Garden of Allah, 8-12 ...J. Leach 0
Mr. J. B. Joel's Mossdale f., 8-12 S. Donoghue 0
Lady Nunburnholme's Court Mourning, 8-12 C. Smirke 0
H.H. Aga Khan's Firouze Mahal, 8-12 G. Hulme 0
Mr. A. De Rothschild's Santa Savina, 8-12 J. Childs 0
Sir J. Rutherford's Herself f., 8-12 ...M. Beary 0
Mr. R. F. Watson's Sceptical, 8-12 ...Brennan 0
Mrs. S. Whitburn's Sabine, 8-12 ...R. Jones 0
Mr. J. Arkwright's Bonne Bouche, 8-12 B. Carslake 0
Mr. J. De Rothschild's Muffin, 8-12 ...Speck 0
Off 4.31. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. MARGERITTA, 5 to 2 Firouze Mahal, 8 to 1 Santa Savina, 100 to 8 each Miss Gadabout, China Ware, and Blue Fairy, 20 to 1 any other.
Firouze Mahal made strong running from Margeritta, Vera, and Garden of Allah. At half-way Margeritta drew in front and won by two lengths; one and a half lengths separated second and third. Purple Royal was fourth, Vera fifth, and Santa Savina next.

5.0—ST. JAMES'S PALACE STAKES, £100 each, with £1,000 added. For three-year-olds. Second £400. Old mile.
Lord Woolavington's b. c. TOM PINCH, by Hurry On—Bellavista, 8-7 ...G. Archibald 1
Lord Astor's St. German's 9-0 ...F. Bullock 2
Mrs. C. Mayor's BOB FLINT, 8-7 ...M. Beary 3
H.H. Aga Khan's Salmon Trout, 9-0 ...G. Hulme 0
Lord Glanely's Grand Joy, 9-0 ...S. Ingham 0
Mr. J. B. Joel's Green Fire, 9-0 ...S. Donoghue 0
Lord Zetland's The Pilot, 9-0 ...McLachlan 0
Sir H. Meux's Donzelon, 9-0 ...B. Carslake 0
Off 5.0. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. St. Germans, 4 to 1 Green Fire, 9 to 2 Salmon Trout, 5 to 1 TOM PINCH, 100 to 7 any other.
Tom Pinch came on clear of Salmon Trout and Green Fire, and making the whole of the running, won by two lengths; one and a half lengths separated second and third. Salmon Trout was fourth, and Green Fire fifth.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

ROYAL HUNT CUP.

To-day's programme is attractive to a degree, with the Royal Hunt Cup, the rich Coronation Stakes, and the Ascot Derby the most notable prizes. Although yesterday afternoon the final decision of several owners regarding their attitude towards the Hunt Cup had not been come to, it seems certain that the field will embrace very nearly thirty competitors, but excepting to those financially interested in the result I cannot imagine the race carrying the customary amount of public interest. Had both Epinard and Sir Gallahad III. faced the opposition matters would have been altogether different. On Monday the wagering upon the issue was "piffle," and yesterday the race was touched in only a lukewarm manner, but a different tale may have to be written to-morrow. However, the affair was neglected yesterday, and we are without a reliable guide at the moment respecting owners' intentions. Puttenden, having run yesterday, will hardly be pulled out for the Bessborough Handicap to-day, which Scamp or Trajanus may secure. The Hunt Cup may rest between Minority, Caravel, Rock Fire, Mink, Weathervane, and Torlonia, in the absence of Twelve Pointer. The Chesham Stakes I leave to El Cacique, and I think we may safely assign the Derby Stakes to Hurstwood, and Neigeuse can annex the Coronation Stakes. Full selections:—

Bessborough Stakes—**Trajanus.**
Royal Hunt Cup—**Mink** or **Torlonia.**
Chesham Stakes—**El Cacique.**
Ascot Derby—**Hurstwood.**
Coronation Stakes—**Neigeuse.**
Fern Hill Stakes—**Sunart.**
Waterford Stakes—**Diophon.**

1.30—BESSBOROUGH STAKES HANDICAP. Age st. lb.
PUTTENDEN (Mr. W. Cazalet) ...Taylor 5 9 1
NORSEMAN (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 5 8 13
ALGERIEN (Mr. A. Macomber) ...France 5 8 12
CEINTURON (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 6 8 12
LONDON CRY (His Majesty) R. Marsh 5 8 11
HARPENDEN (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 5 8 7
HAINE (Mr. C. Kenyon) ...C. Davis 3 8 3
ARDAVON (Mr. H. Da Costa) R. Dawson a 8 2
LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton) Lambton 3 8 2
BRINKLOW (Mr. A. Worthington) W. Jarvis 6 8 2
SCAMP (Mr. H. Greville) ...Templeman 5 8 1
TRAJANUS (Mr. W. Thornton) B. Jarvis 4 8 1
TRACKER (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 3 7 3
(The above have arrived.)
HURRY OFF (Duke of Westminster) Persse 4 9 6
SHIPPON (Mr. T. Davidson) ...Cottrill a 9 0
LIGHTHOUSE (Mr. A. Ash) ...H. Leader 4 8 12
HIGHBROW (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 5 8 11
POMBAL (Mr. J. Courtauld) ...B. Jarvis 4 8 6
PORTLIGHT (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 4 8 3
PHUSIA (Mr. A. Macomber) ...S. Darling 6 8 4
ARGO (Lord Londesborough) Coulthwaite 5 8 2
DESPOTE (Sir C. Paget) ...C. Leader 5 8 1
DESIRE (Mrs. J. Morrison) ...Nugent 6 7 11
FLINT STONE (Mr. H. Beddington) F. Hartigan 3 7 3
SON O' LOVE (Mr. H. Bonm) ...East 5 7 0
PINNACE (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 3 6 12
VIONNET (Mr. J. de Rothschild) Private 3 6 7

2.30—ROYAL HUNT CUP (handicap), value £250, with £1,550 added to sweepstakes of £20 each, h. ft. 7f. 166yds. Age st. lb.
EVANDER (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 6 8 8
ROBERT ESPAGNE (Mr. J. White) Ward 4 7 13
CARAVEL (Mr. A. Cox) ...Taylor 3 7 11
CLOCHNABEN (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 6 7 6
THUNDER CLOUD II. (Mr. A. Macomber) ...S. Darling 3 7 5
LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton) Lambton 3 7 5
ROCK FIRE (Sir F. Price) ...Gilbert 5 7 3
WYKEHAM (Mr. H. Stobart) R. W. Colling 3 7 0
COCKPIT (Mr. P. Nelke) ...Pickering 3 6 13
FRATER (H.H. Aga Khan) ...R. Dawson 3 6 13
JAUNTING CAR (Mr. B. Cohen) Batho 3 6 13
IRONBRIDGE (Mr. B. Jarvis) B. Jarvis 4 6 11
DINKIE (Mrs. R. Jeffrey) ...Earl 4 6 10
CRUBENMORE (Mr. T. Edge) G. Poole 6 6 8
(The above have arrived.)
NICEAS (H.H. Aga Khan) ...R. Dawson 4 9 1
PHAROS (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 4 8 13
TWELVE POINTER (Duke of Westminster) ...Persse 4 8 12
RE-ECHO (Sir C. Paget) ...C. Leader 5 8 5
MOABITE (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 4 8 4
IRISH HOPE (Mr. A. Macomber) Crawford 4 8 4
PONDOLAND (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 5 8 2
MY LORD (Mr. J. Joel) ...Morton 4 8 2
COS (H.H. Aga Khan) ...R. Dawson 4 8 0
FRANCAIS II. (Mr. H. Leigh) ...France 5 7 13
SOVAL (Mr. H. Mollekin) ...Vasey a 7 10
KARL (Sir H. Meux) ...Persse 4 7 10
PADDY (Lady Bradford) ...B. Jarvis 3 7 6
MINORITY (Mr. C. Kenyon) ...C. Davis 3 7 5
RED CLOUD (Mr. A. Macomber) France 3 7 4
WEATHERVANE (His Majesty) R. Marsh 5 7 2
MINK (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 3 7 0
TORLONIA (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 4 6 13
MORALS OF MARCUS (Mr. R. Glasspool) ...W. Jarvis 3 6 13
RUYSDAEL (H.H. Maharajah Jam Sahib of Nawanagar) ...A. Sadler 6 6 11
GOLDEN HERO (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 4 6 11
DEFLATION (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 4 6 10
PANDARUS (Mr. H. Benjamin) Barling 5 6 8
KNOCKGORIFF (Mr. A. Macomber) S. Darling 3 6 7
HOLY WAR (Capt. Arthur) ...Palmer 5 6 7
CARMEL (His Majesty) ...R. Marsh 3 6 7
ULVA FERRY (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 3 6 7

3.0—CHESHAM T.Y.O. STAKES, of £10 each, h. ft., with £500 added for owner, and £100 for breeder of winner; sec. £50, third £25. 5 f. st. lb.
DALMAGARRY (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 8 12
MARY GAINSBOROUGH (Lady Douglas) Taylor 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
CROSS BOW (Ld. Astor) ...Taylor 8 12
THE WAKE (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 8 12
AGNI (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 8 12
MISS FLAPPERTON C., by Junor (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 8 12
ST. BECAN (Sir G. Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 12
ROYAUMONT (M. M. Calmann) ...Taylor 8 12
ROYAL OFFENDER (Ld. Barnby) ...Persse 8 12
REGGIE (Mr. J. Benson) ...W. Lowe 8 12
INCHCAPE ROCK (Capt. Davy) ...Beatty 8 12
PERTINAX (Lady Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 12
MEDA BRIDGE (Mr. G. Coldbeck) Coldbeck 8 12
DESLIONI C., by Bay d'Or (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 12
HELENORA C., by Valens (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 12
NONPAREIL C., by Skyrocket (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 12
QUEEN D'OR C., by Valens (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 12
SKYSAIL (Ld. Glanely) ...C. Marsh 8 12
THE WOODEN HORSE (Mr. J. Courtauld) B. Jarvis 8 12
CHINKAPIN (Mr. A. Cox) ...Taylor 8 12
JUNEAU (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) ...O. Bell 8 12
CHARMING LADY C., by Clarissimus (Maj. Holliday) ...Lines 8 12
WOODPECKER (Mr. J. Hornung) ...B. Jarvis 8 12
STAROSTA (Ld. H. de Walden) ...D. Waugh 8 12
JOYFUL BIRD C., by Sunstar (Mr. J. Joel) Morton 8 12
POLYPEN (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 12
PTOLEMAIS (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 12
MR. WU (Mr. W. Murland) ...Leach, jun. 8 12
ISTYAN (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 12
KINLOCH (Mr. A. H. Straker) ...Peacock 8 12
TURPIN (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 8 12
CASTLEWOOD (Ld. Stanley) ...Lambton 8 12
SUN WORSHIP C., by Gainsborough (Sir J. Rutherford) ...R. Day 8 12
VIRGINIAN (Mr. T. Ryan) ...Persse 8 12
GALLOPALONG C., by Friar Marcus (Mr. W. Singer) ...Taylor 8 12
FLYING SPEAR C., by Gainsborough (Mr. W. Singer) ...Taylor 8 12
TISSAPHERNES (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 8 12
SHADOW (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ...T. Cannon 8 12
LAND CREEK (Mr. J. Musker) ...Parkinson 8 12
EL CACIQUE (Lady Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 12
CHUBASCO (Mr. S. Unzue) ...France 8 12
MANNA (Mr. H. Morriss) ...F. Darling 8 12
ANNIVERSARY (Mr. Sol Joel) ...Wootton 8 12
LORD CHANCELLOR (Mr. Farquharson) Farquharson 8 12
THE BUCHANITE (Mr. J. Corrigan) 8 12
MISS BESSIE (Ld. Astor) ...D. Waugh 8 12
SAUCY SUE (Ld. Astor) ...Taylor 8 9
HURRY UP (Mr. J. Corrigan) ...D. Waugh 8 9
PEKOE (Mrs. H. Cayzer) ...J. Ward 8 9
MISS MEGAN (Mr. W. Cazalet) ...Taylor 8 9
ALBUS (Mr. J. Corrigan) ...D. Waugh 8 9
SIMON'S SHOES F., by Hainault (Mr. de Pledge) ...F. Leader 8 9
GRAND PRINCESS (Ld. Glanely) ...C. Marsh 8 9
LOVESTAR F., by Diadumenos (M. M. Goudchaux) ...France 8 9
FAIRY F., by Blink (Lt.-Col. Hermon-Hodge) T. Cannon 8 9
POLYPHERON (Maj. Holliday) ...Lines 8 9
SOMEHOW F., by Sunstar (Maj. Holliday) Pope 8 9
CHARITY F., by Valens (Capt. Homfray) Sherwood 8 9
BELL HEATHER (Mr. H. Dorington) Peacock 8 9
NO YOU DON'T (Mr. H. Cottrill) ...Cottrill 8 9
FIROUZE MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 9
MIRANDA F., by Skynford (Major Loder) Gilpin 8 9
MARVEL OF PERU F., by Bachelor's Double (Major Loder) ...Gilpin 8 9
BELLATANA F., by The White Knight (Mr. W. Murland) ...G. Sadler 8 9
ICEFERN F., by Sunstar (Mr. L. Neumann) Private 8 9
GARDEN OF ALLAH (Mr. L. Neumann) Gilpin 8 9
GLAMOUR (Duke of Portland) ...F. Darling 8 9
SHERBET (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ...Watson 8 9
CASANOVA (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 9
GYGES (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 9
DAY DREAM F., by The Tetrarch (Mrs. Rodd) ...Tash 8 9
TISIPHONE (Mr. J. C. Spivey) ...Botterill 8 9
DOUBLE EVENT (Mr. H. Stobart) R. W. Colling 8 9
LANCASHIRE LASS (Mr. F. Curzon) Watts 8 9
POOR SCATS (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 8 9
SABINE (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 8 9
RAPIDE (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 8 9
BODLEIAN (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 8 9
MIQUETTE (M. Calmann) ...Taylor 8 9

3.30—ASCOT DERBY STAKES, £50 each, h. ft., with £500 added. For 3-y.-o. Second £200, third £100. 1½ m. st. lb.
HURSTWOOD (Mr. S. Tattersall) ...Taylor 9 1
CARAVEL (Mr. A. Cox) ...Taylor 8 10
FRATER (Vicomte de Fontarce) R. Dawson 8 10
SALMON TROUT (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 10
THUNDER CLOUD II. (Mr. A. Macomber) S. Darling 8 10
POLYPHONTES (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 10
CREWE (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 8 10
WINALOT (Mr. J. Shepherd) ...W. Jarvis 8 10
TRACKER (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 8 10
WHITE BREAD (Lady Wavertree) S. Darling 8 6
ZODIAC (Major G. Loder) ...Gilpin 8 3
COMUS (Sir J. Robinson) ...F. Leach 8 3
BALDERSTON (Sir J. Rutherford) ...R. Day 8 3
BOB FLINT (Mrs. C. Mayor) ...G. Sadler 8 3
(The above have arrived.)
BRIGHT KNIGHT (Lord Astor) ...Taylor 8 10
GRAND JOY (Lord Glanely) ...C. Marsh 8 10
SPALPEEN (Sir E. Hulton) ...D. Waugh 8 10
SUNSTONE (Mrs. A. James) ...Lambton 8 10
SPEEDY MARQUIS (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 8 10
PHILIPPI (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 10
TIPPLER (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ...Watson 8 10
BEAUFORT II. (Mr. J. Widener) ...Abroad 8 10
HOBGOBLIN (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 8 10
DONZELON (Sir H. Meux) ...Persse 8 10
STAR SAPPHIRE (Mr. J. Widener) Abroad 8 6
BLACK SHEEP (Lord Astor) ...Taylor 8 3
BURSLEM (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 8 3
POLYMION (Sir G. Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 3
INKEEPER (Capt. Montagu) ...Private 8 3
SILVER CHALICE (Sir P. Mostyn) C. Leader 8 3
PLUTO (Mr. Myerscough) ...H. Leader 8 3
REGGIO (Mr. Reid Walker) ...Taylor 8 3
ONEGA (Mr. W. Cazalet) ...Taylor 8 3
TABENNITE (Duke of Westminster) ...Persse 8 3
ANCHORITE (Mr. G. Smith) ...W. Waugh 8 3
EDWIN (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 3
MESOLITE (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) ...O. Bell 8 3
TRAGACANTH (Lord H. de Walden) D. Waugh 8 3
BLUE PETE (Sir W. Cooke) ...Platt 8 3
DEFIANCE (Mr. J. Joel) ...Morton 8 3
MERRY MINSTREL (Mr. J. Joel) ...Morton 8 3
PANDO (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 3
TOUR DE FORCE (Ld. Woolavington) Gilpin 8 3
BARBEROSSA (Ld. Woolavington) ...Gilpin 7 13

4.0—CORONATION STAKES, £100 each, h. ft., with £1,000 added; for three-year-olds. Second £400. Old Mile. st. lb.
STRAITLACE (Sir E. Hulton) ...D. Waugh 9 3
CARMEL (His Majesty) ...R. Marsh 8 10
MUMTAZ MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 10
WHITE BREAD (Lady Wavertree) S. Darling 8 10
SPINDRIFT (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 8 3
NO QUARTER (Lord Furness) ...Gilpin 8 3
WINGS OF A DOVE (Sir H. Meux) Dundas 8 3
SLIPPERY JANE (Duke of Portland) Farquharson 8 3
(The above have arrived.)
MANSOURIYAH (Mr. M. Goculdas) Crawford 8 10
MAID OF BATH (Lady J. Douglas) Taylor 8 10
LADY OF LYONS (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 8 10
GREAT ADVENTURE (Lord Queenborough) Rochfort 8 10
KILMENY (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 8 10
HALCYON (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 8 10
TILPHOSSA (Sir H. Meux) ...Persse 8 10
CHRONOMETER (Duke of Westminster) Persse 8 10
POMSAN (Mr. V. Thompson) ...F. Hartigan 8 10
BERENIS (Mr. E. Ambatielos) ...Crawford 8 3
JURA (Lord Astor) ...Taylor 8 3
NEIGEUSE (M. M. Gondchaux) ...Taylor 8 3
TAMARI (Lord Zetland) ...Dundas 8 3
ROSSMORE (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 3
VESPER BELL (Sir G. Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 3
MOYRIA (Mr. W. Cazalet) ...Taylor 8 3
HARPY (Mr. J. Corrigan) ...D. Waugh 8 3
QUEEN OF THE AIR (Mr. A. Cox) ...Taylor 8 3
BLUE ICE (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 8 3
EULALIA (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 8 3
CALIGRAPHY (Lord Ellesmere) ...J. Dawson 8 3
MOTHER OF PEARL (Mr. R. Walker) C. Doyle 8 3
GABELLA (Mr. F. Gretton) ...Moreton 8 3
POLYANNA (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 3
SUNDAYS RIVER (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 8 3
ASTRAEA (Maj. D. McCalmont) ...Persse 8 3
GOLDEN EMBLEM (Lady Nunburnholme) Rochfort 8 3
DAUGHTER OF THE VINE (Mr. G. Robinson) ...Pope 8 3
VERONA (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 8 3
DRESS REHEARSAL (Sir F. Brook) Private 8 3

4.30—FERN HILL STAKES, £20 each, £10 ft., with £500 added. Second £50. 5 f. Age st. lb.
PURPLE SHADE (Mrs. J. Bancroft) Easterbee 3 9 0
BALDERSTON (Sir J. Rutherford) R. Day 3 9 0
ETON WICK (Mr. S. Tattersall) Taylor 3 9 0
MUMTAZ MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 3 8 11
ORANGERIE II. (Mr. A. Macomber) S. Darling 3 8 11
PERHAPS SO (Lady Nunburnholme) Rochfort 3 8 11
SUNART (Mr. H. Cottrill) ...Cottrill 2 6 13
SWANAGE (Lady Curzon of Kedleston) B. Jarvis 2 6 13
ARTEMIS (Ld. Lonsdale) ...Templeman 2 6 13
KING'S YELLOW (Mr. C. Gordon) J. Jarvis 2 6 13
(The above have arrived.)
SCHERZO (Capt. Fielden) ...O. Bell 3 9 0
LE PIERRE DE TRANVILLE (Mr. A. Macomber) ...S. Darling 3 9 0
JOHN DENIS (Mr. H. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 3 9 0
RED CLOUD (Mr. A. Macomber) S. Darling 3 8 11
DANDELION (Mr. F. Gretton) ...Moreton 3 8 11
BERENIS (Mr. E. Ambatielos) ...Crawford 3 8 11
DIOMEDES (Mr. S. Beer) ...H. Leader 2 7 2
WRONG ADDRESS (Mr. A. Pennant) Hogg 2 7 2
LITTLE MINCH F. (by Rock Flint) (Mrs. Fellowes) ...Private 2 6 13
LAUGHING LADY (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 2 6 13
POMMADE DIVINE (D. of Portland) F. Darling 2 6 13

5.0—WATERFORD STAKES, £10 each, with £500 added. For 3-y.-o. Old Mile. st. lb.
ARCADE (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ...Watson 9 12
PARMENIO (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 9 12
ZODIAC (Maj. Loder) ...Gilpin 8 7
SPINDRIFT (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 8 7
NO QUARTER (Ld. Woolavington) ...Gilpin 8 7
LIVE WIRE (Ld. Wolverton) ...Lambton 8 7
(The above have arrived.)
DIOPHON (H.H. Aga Khan) ...R. Dawson 9 12
KNIGHT OF THE GARTER (His Majesty) R. Marsh 9 8
GURZIL (Sir B. Sheffield) ...Butters 9 5
ROYSTERER (Lord Durham) ...Lambton 9 5
MacCARTHY MORE (Mr. D. Sullivan) Persse 9 5
CRAND KNIGHT (Lord Glanely) ...C. Marsh 9 5
WOODEND (Mr. Barclay Walker) J. Rhodes 9 5
LADY OF LYONS (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 9 1
TILPHOSSA (Sir H. Meux) ...Persse 9 1
CORDORO (Mr. J. Benson) ...W. Lowe 9 0
RESINATO (His Majesty) ...R. Marsh 9 0
SHINING SPEAR (Mrs. Gordon) ...Whitaker 9 0
POLYMORPHOUS (Mr. Sol Joel) De Mestre 9 0
BENRHYDDING (Ld. Harewood) B. Parvis 9 0
TUNIS (Mr. A. Cox) ...Taylor 8 10
VIONNET (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) ...Pratt 8 10
CHIME (Sir E. Hulton) ...D. Waugh 8 10
FLYFAST (Mr. A. J. Ash) ...H. Leader 8 7
BLACK SHEEP (Lord Astor) ...Taylor 8 7
DRY WIT (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 8 7
STAR OF GOLD (Sir W. Cooke) ...Platt 8 7
SAN UTAR (Mr. J. Corrigan) ...D. Waugh 8 7
TOM TELL TROTH (Ld. Derby) ...Lambton 8 7
BLYTH BACHELOR (Ld. Barnby) ...Persse 8 7
GOLDEN TRACE (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis 8 7
LORDSHIP (Mr. J. Joel) ...Morton 8 7
SORDUS (Mr. J. Joel) ...Morton 8 7
PHALCES (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 8 7
ROYAL ENSIGN (Mr. W. Lysaght) B. Jarvis 8 7
RED LAC (Mr. W. Singer) ...Scourfield 8 7
HAJI (H.H. Aga Khan) ...R. Dawson 8 7
THE GLIDER (Mrs. A. James) ...Lambton 8 7
THE BORDERER (Mr. Watts) ...Peacock 8 7
SANDBLAST (Capt. Homfray) ...R. Sherwood 8 7
SHAMBLES (Mr. J. Hornung) ...B. Jarvis 8 3
RED BEAVER (Mr. W. Cazalet) ...Taylor 8 3
ANUBIS (Mr. R. Combe) ...Walters 8 3
MISS PRIMROSE (Sir A. Johnstone) ...Vasey 8 3
IOLAIR (Sir W. Gilbey) ...T. Canon 8 3
TOR VALE (Mr. J. Sandars) ...Private 8 3
GAGOOL (Sir E. Hulton) ...D. Waugh 8 3
HILL STAR (Sir R. Jardine) ...T. Waugh 8 3
FIRE STAR (Mr. Solomon) ...Cottrill 8 3
PICK AND CHOOSE (Ld. Lascelles) R. Marsh 8 3
TETE DE NEGRE (Lord Londonderry) Pickering 8 3
ASTRAEA (Maj. McCalmont) ...Persse 8 3
HESPERIA (Maj. McCalmont) ...Persse 8 3
KLONDYKE (Sir G. Murray) ...Persse 8 3

SCRATCHINGS.—Bessborough Stakes—Dumas, East Tor, Sea Hawk. Hunt Cup—Epinard, Town Guard, Ellangowan, Duteous, Earlestown, Finger Print. Chesham Stakes—Princess Ziria colt, Purple Cloud, Trapeze, Conquistador, Dame Prudent filly, Skyglory, Sooth, Monsieur, Rocketer, Dilatory, Ojah, Phalaros, Kentish Knock, Royal Star, Bright colt, Charlemont. Ascot Derby—Finger Print, Comedy Star, Overture, Irish Angel. Gold Cup—Tranquil, Town Guard, Santorb, Epinard. Coronation Stakes—Finger Print.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

At the first evening Royal Hunt Cup call over yesterday Twelve Pointer became favourite at 8 to 1 from Torlonia, who became easy at 17 to 2. Mink advanced from 10 to 1 to 9 to 1, well backed at both rates, and Niceas also had a good following while the tens lasted. Irish Hope was dull at 10 to 1; and Ironbridge, Weathervane, Cockpit, Caravel, Minority, and Frater went best of the others. Details:—

ROYAL HUNT CUP.

Run to-day. Distance—Seven furlongs 166 yards.
8 to 1 Twelve Pointer, t. & o. ...Persse 4 8 12
17 to 2 Torlonia, t. & o. ...Lambton 4 6 13
9 to 1 Mink, t. & o. ...Cottrill 3 7 0
9 to 1 Niceas, o. (after 10 to 1 t.) R. Dawson 4 9 1
10 to 1 Irish Hope, t. & o. ...Crawford 4 8 4
100 to 7 Ironbridge, t. & o. ...B. Jarvis 4 6 11
100 to 6 Cockpit, t. & o. ...Pickering 3 6 13
100 to 6 Weathervane, t. & o. ...Marsh 5 7 2
20 to 1 Caravel, t. & o. ...Taylor 3 7 11
20 to 1 Jaunting Car, offered ...Batho 3 6 13
25 to 1 Minority, t. & o. ...C. Davis 3 7 5
25 to 1 Thunder Cloud II., o. ...Darling 3 7 5
25 to 1 Rock Fire, offered ...Gilbert 5 7 3
25 to 1 Wykeham, offered ...Colling 3 7 0
25 to 1 Dinkie, offered ...Earl 4 6 10
25 to 1 Frater, offered ...Dawson 3 6 13
100 to 3 Evander, offered ...De Mestre 6 8 8
100 to 3 Clochnaben, offered ...Ward 6 7 6
40 to 1 Crubenmore, offered ...Poole 6 6 8
50 to 1 Robert Espagne, offered ...Ward 4 7 13

NIGHT BETTING.

There was one big change in the latest call over wagering on the Royal Hunt Cup, in which Twelve Pointer was backed to win nearly £9,000, closing a pronounced favourite at 6 to 1. Niceas went well at 19 to 2; while Mink was in more request at 10 to 1 than Torlonia. Irish Hope dropped back to 100 to 8, and Weathervane, Minority, Cockpit, and Caravel were others that went satisfactorily. Details:—
6 to 1 Twelve Pointer, taken and offered.
19 to 2 Niceas, taken and offered.
10 to 1 Mink, taken and offered.
10 to 1 Torlonia, taken and offered.
100 to 8 Irish Hope, taken and offered.
17 to 1 Weathervane, taken and offered.
18 to 1 Minority, taken and offered.
20 to 1 Ironbridge, taken and offered.
20 to 1 Cockpit, taken and offered.
22 to 1 Caravel, taken and offered.
25 to 1 Jaunting Car, taken and offered.
28 to 1 Rock Fire, taken and offered.
28 to 1 Frater, taken and offered.
100 to 3 Wykeham, taken and offered.
100 to 3 Thunder Cloud II., taken and offered.
100 to 3 Evander, offered.
100 to 3 Clochnaben, offered.
100 to 3 Robert Espagne, offered.
50 to 1 Pondoland, offered.
50 to 1 Crubenmore, offered.
50 to 1 Dinkie, offered.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Entries for the Curragh, Leopardstown and Proudstown Park Meetings close to-day.

Five American challengers for the British Open Golf Championship arrived at Southampton yesterday on the s.s. Mauretania. They were Walter Hagen (winner in 1922), J. Farrell, L. Espinosa, Gilbert Nicholls, and Gene Sarazen.

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SELECTIONS FOR ASCOT MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.	5.0 RACE.
Irish Times	Trajanus.	Mink or Torlonia.	El Cacique.	Hurstwood.	Neigeuse.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Sportsman	Trajanus.	Minority.	Glamour.	Hurstwood.	Neigeuse.	Eton Wick.*	Diophon.
Man on the Spot	Norseman.*	Mink.	Mary Gainsborough.	Hurstwood.	Straitlace.	Mumtaz Mahal; if ab., Sunart.	Diophon.
Westminster Gazette	Pinnace.	Mink; Minority & Weathervane.	Sun Worship colt.	Hurstwood.	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Daily News	Ceinturon.*	Weathervane; Torlonia & Mink.	Mary Gainsborough.	Hurstwood.	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Daily Express	Vionnet; if ab., Haine.	Torlonia.*	Poor Scats; if ab., Mary G'borough.	Hurstwood, next best.	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart; if ab., Perhaps So.	Woodend; if ab., Gurzil.
Daily Mirror	Highbrow.	Twelve Pointer.	—	Hurstwood.	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Daily Graphic	Pinnace.	Torlonia; Frater and Cockpit.	Mary Gainsborough.	Polyphontes.*	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Gurzil.
Star	East Tor.	Mink; Weathervane, a place.	Sun Worship colt.	Hurstwood.*	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Evening News	Vionnet.	Mink.	Poor Scats.	Reggio.*	Straitlace.	Sunart.*	Diophon.
Evening Standard	East Tor.	Frater.	Dalmagarry.	Hurstwood.	Straitlace.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Times	Norseman.	Twelve Pointer; Mink, place.	—	Hurstwood.	Neigeuse.	Sunart.	Diophon.
Daily Mail	Scamp.	Minority.	—	Hurstwood.	Mumtaz Mahal.	Sunart.	Live Wire.

BEVERLEY.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The gloriously fine weather of yesterday has only to continue to ensure the complete success of the East Yorkshire fixture, and while the arrival list is not a strong one from an overnight standpoint, yet strong contingents can come on this morning. The course is in capital condition. The chief event of the opening day is the Beverley Handicap, but only two have come from Newmarket—Fastoline and Right Ho. This is a good thing for Lady Diana, who has had five outings without winning, but her form at Redcar and Ripon will stand very close inspection. At the former place she went under by a head to The Carpenter. Orpi, I understand, runs with top weight, and, in my judgment, has a chance, but for the winner I take Lady Diana. Full selections are as follow:—

Westwood Handicap—**Heather Bee.**
Kingston Plate—**Captain Redwick's selected.**
Beverley Handicap—**Lady Diana.**
Hurn Selling—**Fiddleback.**
Bishop Burton Stakes—**Lady Bayardo filly.**
Welton Plate—**Free From Pride.**

2.15—WESTWOOD HANDICAP, £200; second £15, third £5. 1 m. Age st. lb.
SPIVIE (Mr. G. Dick) ...Beaumont 5 8 2
TORISON (Mr. R. Smith) ...J. Payne 3 8 2
HEATHER BEE (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 3 7 12
LOYAL SCOT (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 3 7 9
ADAHLOT (Mr. C. Smith) ...Anderson 4 7 7
DOYENNE (Mr. F. Plummer) Sanderson 3 7 7
(The above have arrived.)
ROSE BRIDGE (Mr. G. Smith) ...Drake 5 9 0
BONGPHALIA (Mr. J. Settle) ...C. Davis 3 8 9
MESALLIANCE (Mr. G. Baxter) ...Gunter 3 8 6
COVER KING (Mrs. E. Rayner) Peacock 3 8 4
JAVADORE (Mr. E. Burns) ...Burns a 8 4
PREFACE (Mr. C. Kenyon) ...Bazley 3 8 4
PLUTO (Mr. F. Myerscough) H. Leader 3 8 4
ADDRESS (Capt. Renwick) ...J. Renwick 3 8 2
MAIDWELL (Mr. W. Wyllie) ...Wyllie 4 8 2
WHITE MOUNTAIN (Mrs. V. Wilson) W. Renwick 4 8 2
SERVICE SON (Mr. J. Rhodes) ...Cole 4 8 1
AEROSTAR (Mr. G. Heath) ...W. Turner 3 8 0
CHICA (Lt.-Col. Badger) ...Badger 3 8 0
EXTRA BOLD (Mr. C. Kenyon) Bazley 3 7 13
MALTBY GRANGE (Mr. H. Mollekin) Vasey 3 7 13
ROSACOUS (Mr. E. Burns) ...Burns 4 7 13
HOLY TERROR (Mr. Botterill) Botterill 3 7 10
DOPE (Capt. Wilson) ...W. Renwick 3 7 5

2.45—KINGSTON-UPON-HULL ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f. Age. st. lb.
MEANDERING (Mr. F. W. Harlock) ... 3 9 5
ELSIE MAYNARD (Mr. C. E. Wylam) ... 3 9 5
SPRING RUNNING (Mr. D. Waugh) ... 3 9 5
(The above have arrived.)
DOUBLER (Mr. C. Atkinson) ... 5 10 0
BLUE SOL (Mrs. E. Reynolds) ... 4 10 0
CONGRATULATION (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) 2 7 7
BATON ROUGE (Mr. R. T. Murray) ... 5 9 7
CAHIRLESKE (Mr. J. A. Dunkerly) ... 5 10 0
CAPRA (Mr. F. Groves) ... 3 9 0
PENNY-WAY (Mr. L. A. Oppenheim) ... 3 9 8
GLENSIMMON (Capt. Stanley Wilson) ... 3 9 8
NABOB (Capt. Stanley Wilson) ... 3 9 3
GALLOPING SLAV (Lady Green) ... 6 10 3
CLAREMONT (Mr. S. Morris) ... 6 10 3
HIGH COLOUR (Mr. G. W. Dick) ... a 10 3
HIGH SOCIETY (Mr. R. Smith) ... a 10 3

3.15—BEVERLEY HANDICAP PLATE of 400 sovs. Second 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. 1 m. 5 f. Age. st. lb.
LADY DIANA (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ... 6 8 3
RIGHT HO (Mr. Russell Swanwick) ... 4 7 13
BARONSCOURT (Mr. W. Mitchell) ... 4 7 12
OCTABELLA'S PRIDE (in. 7lb. ex.) (Mr. S. Morris) ... 5 7 7
(The above have arrived.)
ORPI (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ... a 9 9
FLORID (Mr. J. Moss Vernon) ... 4 9 1
FASTOLITE (Mr. J. Sharp) ... 6 9 0
MONK OF BLYTH (Lord Barnby) ... 4 8 13
HIGH CLIFF (Mr. H. Smith) ... 5 8 11
SANTAVON (Capt. A. M. Ker) ... a 8 10
SAILOR SON (Lord Barnby) ... 6 8 10
SON O' LOVE (Mr. H. J. Boam) ... 5 8 9
BAALBEK (Mr. H. Mollekin) ... 4 8 9
CHICOT (Mr. H. R. King) ... 6 8 9
IMPETUOUS (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ... 4 7 13
LOMCENA (Sir E. Hoyle) ... 4 7 11
OAKWOOD (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving) ... 5 7 10
POLEMBERG (Lord Lonsdale) ... 4 7 10
GALLANT SPEAR (Capt. J. H. Broadley) 5 7 9
RIBBLESDALE (Mr. C. O. Hall) ... 4 7 9
MRS. FALL (Mr. J. Aitken) ... 6 7 7
FAIR DINKUM (Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan) 5 7 7
GRETNA GREEN (Mr. J. A. Dunkerly) 3 7 2
PHAROAH (Miss Coulman) ... 3 7 0

3.45—HURN HANDICAP (S.), £200. 1¼ m. Age st. lb.
FIDDLEBACK (Mr. E. Clark) ...Burns 5 9 8
OCTABELLA'S PRIDE (Mr. S. Morris) Vasey 5 8 7
(The above have arrived.)
BELLE FILLE (Mr. E. Clark) ...Burns a 9 11
WINIFRED PRICE (Sir L. Green) W. Renwick 5 9 11
BOLD BUCK (Mr. C. King) ...Bazley a 9 9
PLUMB SQUARE (Mr. E. McQuone) G. Sadler 4 9 8
PIVOTAL (Brig.-Gen. Rotton) G. Renwick a 9 6
END O' TALE (Mr. J. McGuigan) McGuigan 6 9 1
TELEPATHY (Mr. G. Bennett) G. Bennett 6 9 0
MORE RAIN (Mr. S. Rose) ...Sanderson a 8 12
FLYING SIMON (Mr. A. Law) ...A. Law a 8 9
JULIUS (Mr. H. Stobart) ...R. W. Colling 3 8 8
POLYDEUCES (Mr. E. Humphreys) Smyth 4 8 8
CORNET OF HORSE (Mr. C. Warrington) G. Armstrong 5 8 7
DARKNESS (Mr. A. Morris) ...Morris 5 8 7
HARD COURT (Mr. H. Stobart) R. W. Colling 3 8 7
FLOCK (Mr. J. Kinney) ...Bazley 4 8 6
SOPHOS (Mr. E. Smith) ...Anderson 6 8 6
THE SQUIRE (Capt. Mundy) ...Hare a 8 6
COMBUSTIBLE (Mr. H. Mollekin) Vasey 3 8 5
AEROSTAR (Mr. G. Heath) ...W. Turner 3 8 1
KING'S CROSS (Mr. J. Dunkerly) Botterill 6 8 10
SILVER ISLAND (Mr. D. Goold) F. Archer 3 7 13
CASE HARDENED (Mr. W. Egerton) G. Armstrong 3 7 11
GREEN BOY (Mr. G. Dick) ...Beaumont a 7 11
LADY MORHAM (Mr. W. Mason) Binnie 3 7 11
EASY ACCESS (Capt. Broadley) Broadley a 7 11
BEAUTIFUL MAUD (Mr. R. Renton) Renton 3 7 7
ROSSO (Capt. Renwick) ...J. Renwick 3 7 7

4.15—BISHOP BURTON T.Y.O. STAKES, £5 each, 2 ft., with £200 added. Second £20, third £10. 5 f. st. lb.
D'YE WANT (Mr. C. Atkinson) ...J. Payne 8 10
AUNTY HILDA C., by Blink (Mr. G. Dick) Beaumont 8 10
LADY BAYARDO F., by Theo Bold (Miss Cliff) ...Peacock 8 7
DONALDA F., by Mercutio (Mr. F. Turner) Manser 8 7
(The above have arrived.)
RAVELSTON (Sir T. Dixon) ...Peacock 9 1
THUNDERSTONE F., by Friar Marcus (Mr. B. Jarvis) ...B. Jarvis 9 0
VENICE C., by Chaucer (Mr. G. Barclay) Barclay 8 10
SOMA C., by Aleppo (Mr. G. Barclay) Barclay 8 10
FREE SPEECH (Lady Compton-Vyner) Cole 8 10
CORBY BRIDGE (Mr. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong 8 10
BESSBOROUGH (Mr. W. Lysaght) B. Jarvis 8 10
BON (Lord Lascelles) ...C. Leader 8 10
SIMON'S LAND (Mr. A. Hood) ...Peacock 8 10
FRAMLINGTON (Capt. Renwick) J. Renwick 8 10
LIFE LINE (Mr. J. Spivey) ...Botterill 8 10
FIRE (Mr. J. Wigton) ...Botterill 8 10
STRUMA C., by Cantilever (Mr. M. D. Peacock) ...Peacock 8 10
IFWEDO (Capt. Wilson) ...J. Renwick 8 10
IOS (Sir E. Hoyle) ...G. Armstrong 8 10
ORANGE PLUME (Mr. H. Dennis) ...Cottrill 8 7
OBVIOUS (Mr. A. Falcon) ...Rintoul 8 7
WAYWARD F., by Black Jester (Mr. R. Hughes) ...F. Archer 8 7
BERYL ODE (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 8 7
OMEN (Mrs. M. Smith) ...Bazley 8 7
FLORALIA (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 8 7
SIR PICTON (Mr. J. White) ...Ward 8 7
SLIPWITH (Capt. Whitworth) ...Butters 8 7
WILLOWBED (Capt. Wilson) ...J. Renwick 8 7

4.45—WELTON PLATE, £200. Second £15, third £5. 1 m. Age st. lb.
FREE FROM PRIDE (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 4 9 0
GOLDEN BRIDLE (Mr. C. Hellewell) Manser 4 8 1
OUR MYRA (Mr. S. Mills) ...Anderson 3 7 5
(The above have arrived.)
SOUTH POLE (Mr. H. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 5 8 13
IRISH ELF (Mr. C. Kenyon) ...Bazley 5 8 13
REDHILL (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 5 8 13
SCARBA (Mr. A. Straker) ...Peacock 4 8 11
PERFUME (Mr. S. Beer) ...Leach, jun. 4 8 1
KATE HARDCASTLE (Mr. F. Plummer) Sanderson 4 8 1
CYZARA (Capt. Broadley) ...J. Renwick 3 7 13
ALL BRIGHT (Mr. T. Lofthouse) J. Payne 3 7 10
MASTER PERCY (Capt. Whitworth) Butters 3 7 10
WHITCHURCH (Mr. C. Kenyon) Bazley 3 7 8
BRIGHT LIGHT (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 3 7 5
TEN (Mr. P. Spurr) ...J. Payne 3 7 5

SCRATCHINGS.—Bishop Burton Stakes—Fire. Londesborough Plate—Tisipone, Holy River.

BETTING FORECAST.

ASCOT.

1.30 Race—3 to 1 agst. Norseman, 4 to 1 Ceinturon, 11 to 2 Haine, 6 to 1 Ardavon, 7 to 1 Trajanus, 8 to 1 Scamp, 10 to 1 Vionnet, 100 to 8 Pinnace.
3.0 Race—2 to 1 agst. Mary Gainsborough, 3 to 1 Sun Worship colt, 11 to 2 each Double Dutch and Manna, 8 to 1 Royal Offender, 10 to 1 any other.
3.30 Race—7 to 4 agst. Hurstwood, 5 to 2 Reggio, 4 to 1 Polyphontes, 6 to 1 Crewe, 8 to 1 Winalot, 10 to 1 each Comus and Merry Minstrel, 100 to 8 any other.
4.0 Race—11 to 10 agst. Mumtaz Mahal, 2 to 1 Straitlace, 7 to 1 Neigeuse, 10 to 1 White Bread, 100 to 8 Spindrift, 20 to 1 any other.
4.30 Race—5 to 4 agst. Sunart, 7 to 2 Swanage, 6 to 1 Eton Wick, 8 to 1 Orangerie II., 10 to 1 King's Yellow, 100 to 7 others.
5.0 Race—11 to 10 on Diophon, 7 to 2 Woodend, 4 to 1 Live Wire, 8 to 1 each Resinato and Arcade, 10 to 1 Lordship, 100 to 8 any other.

BALLINROBE RACES,
FRIDAY NEXT, 20th JUNE, 1924.
TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.
A Special Passenger Train will leave Ballinrobe on the evening of the Races, at 6 o'clock, to connect with the up night mail to Dublin.—(Advt.)

ROSCOMMON.

SMALL FIELDS.

DOUBLES FOR MESSRS. CLEARY AND ARNOTT.

There were only twenty-three runners for the six events at Roscommon yesterday, but there was a good attendance and the weather was beautifully fine. Oxo, the outsider of three, readily won the Whelan Plate, and Rooskey Belle II. scored even more easily in the Byrne Plate. There were three runners for this, but Jack refused the first fence, and after Glennan had made play for a long way he was beaten half a mile from home. Eager Damsel won the Mapother Plate in a canter, for, though it was only by a length that she beat Wrenboy, her victory was very easily gained. Ischevaha was allowed to walk over for the Hayden Plate; and his stable companion at Greenmount, Blue Fish, marked up her third successive victory when she won the Harrison Plate. No Joke, who was joint favourite with the winner, led for half the journey, but he then lost his place and failed to finish in the first three. White Eyes experienced no trouble in accounting for the Neilan Plate. Details:—

2.0—WHELAN PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.
Mr. J. S. Barrett's br. g. OXO, by Coligny—Chalice, a, 11-6 ...Mr. J. D. Cleary 1
Mr. J. A. Coen's VERY WARM, 4, 11-1 Jas. Canty 2
Mr. M. M'Donagh's MAZY, 5, 11-8 J. Hogan, jun. 3
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—5 to 4 each agst. Very Warm and Mazy, 5 to 1 OXO.
Oxo made all the running, and won in a canter by forty lengths; ten lengths separated second and third.

2.30—BYRNE PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2½ m.
Mrs. J. P. M'Guire's br. m. ROOSKEY BELLE II., by Prepared—Pauline, a, 11-5 J. McCarthy 1
Mr. W. Donaldson's GLENNAN, a, 11-5 Mr. P. Nugent 2
Mrs. L. Garahan's Jack, a, 11-0 Mr. P. J. Casey 0
(Winner trained by Mr. Cleary.)
Betting—7 to 4 on Glennan, 4 to 1 each agst. ROOSKEY BELLE II. and Jack.
Jack refused the first fence, and Glennan led till half a mile from home, when he gave way to Rooskey Belle II., who won in a canter by fifty lengths.

3.0—MAPOTHER PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.
Mr. R. Bell's ch. m. EAGER DAMSEL, by Meleager—Red Damsel, 6, 11-5 Mr. T. O'Rorke 1
Mr. T. G. Dillon's WRENBOY, 5, 11-7 K. Lenehan 2
Mrs. C. Brabazon's COUNT ALGY, 4, 11-1 Mr. C. Brabazon 3
Mr. M. E. Ham's Warm Day, a, 11-5 Mr. J. D. Cleary 0
Mr. M. M'Donagh's Hunt's Maid, 5, 11-7 J. Hogan, jun. 0
Mr. J. B. Nicholls' Irish Myth, 4, 11-3 F. Nicholls 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—Evens EAGER DAMSEL, 5 to 2 agst. Count Algy, 6 to 1 Hunt's Maid, 10 to 1 any other.
Eager Damsel settled down from Warm Day, Wrenboy, and Hunt's Maid, and making all the running won by a length; a bad third. Warm Day was fourth.

3.30—HAYDEN PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone's ch. g. ISCHEVAHA, by His Majesty—Parerga, a, 12-4 D. Ward w.o.
(Winner trained by Mr. M. Arnott.)

4.0—HARRISON PLATE of £50. A handicap flat race. 1½ m.
Mr. P. Rogers's b. m. BLUE FISH, by Irishman—Queen of the Grebes, 6, 11-0 (inc. 12lb. ex.) W. Ward 1
Mr. P. Glynn's CAPPYLASS, a, 9-0 ...T. Burns 2
Mr. T. G. Dillon's FIRE STEP, 6, 9-0 K. Lenehan 3
Mr. W. Coffey's No Joke, 4, 9-12 ...E. M. Quirke 0
Mr. J. A. Coen's Joven, 5, 9-3 ...Jas. Canty 0
Mr. J. H. Nicholls' Lilian L., 5, 9-0 F. Nicholls 0
Col. Croft's Picture Frame, 3, 9-0 T. Morgan 0
(Winner trained by Mr. M. Arnott.)
Betting—2 to 1 each agst. BLUE FISH and No Joke, 4 to 1 Cappylass, 6 to 1 Joven, 10 to 1 any other.
No Joke made play from Blue Fish, Joven, Fire Step, Picture Frame and Cappylass for half-way, when Blue Fish drew to the front, and, holding Cappylass at bay, won by two lengths; a bad third. No Joke was fourth and Picture Frame next.

4.30—NEILAN PLATE of 40 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. F. Pope's br. m. WHITE EYES, by Don Juan—Sheig, 6, 11-4 ...J. M'Carthy 1
Mr. R. Power's TULLY, a, 11-5 Mr. H. J. Delmege 2
Mrs. Large's Cherry Rod, a, 10-5 Mr. J. W. Cleary 0
(Winner trained by Mr. Cleary.)
Betting—6 to 4 on WHITE EYES, 5 to 2 agst. Tully, 6 to 1 Cherry Rod.
White Eyes made all the running, and won in a canter by twenty lengths. Cherry Rod was pulled up.

KELLS.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The Loyd course at Kells will to-day be the scene of what promises to be a successful and enjoyable meeting. Satisfactory entries have been obtained, and fair-sized fields should be seen out. A special train leaves Amiens street at 11.30 and returns at 5.30. Selections are as follow:—

County Plate—**South Pole.**
Summer Plate—**Merry Miner** or **Kanowna.**
Headfort Cup—**Glass Island.**
June Plate — **Drumlassie**; if absent, **Bachelor's Secret.**
Patrons' Plate—**Double B.**
Loyd Plate—**Ellen's Dote.**

2.0—THE COUNTY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1 m. 6 f. Age. st. lb.
SOUTH POLE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 5 12 0
TRIM GATE (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) ...Parkinson 5 11 10
MR. PORTA (Mr. Jas. Morrison) ...Morrison 6 11 10
GLOWANNA (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) H. Hartigan a 11 8
TARA HILL II. (Mr. J. J. Hoey) ...Owner 6 10 13
HAWTHORN HILL (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) Parkinson a 10 6
PULLMAN (Mr. T. J. Mangan) ...Owner a 10 0
TOO TON (Mrs. Wilson Scott) ...Scott a 10 0

2.30—THE SUMMER PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A flat race. 1 m. 6 f. Age. st. lb.
"1922" (Mrs. Rankin) ...Reidy 4 10 11
BLUE FISH (Mr. P. Rogers) ...Arnott 6 10 2
KNIGHT TEMPLAR (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 6 9 9
HARRY LORREQUER (Mr. C. A. Rogers) Arnott 6 9 9
WISE GIRSHA (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ...Owner a 9 2
MAY-EVE (Mr. D. Kelly) ...Prendergast 4 9 2
KANOWNA (Lord Lascelles) ...Arnott 4 9 2
MERRY MINER (Mr. T. D. M'Keever) Walker a 9 2
SHARP WARRIOR (Mr. J. P. Hogan) Parkinson 3 8 13
PRINCE PEDRO (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 8 13
QUEEN OF THE BOG (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Owner 3 8 13
BALMUIR (Mr. G. Revelle) ...Owner 4 8 9
LEINSTER LASS (Mr. J. R. Markey) Owner 4 8 9
LOVE GIFT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 8 9
OUTCAST BEE (Mr. P. Rogers) ...Arnott 4 8 9
LITTLE NELL (Mr. P. J. Lenehan) Owner 5 8 9
TOO TON (Mrs. Wilson Scott) ...Scott a 8 7
PURI (Colonel Croft) ...Ussher 3 8 7
BARORMA (Mrs. K. O'Donoghue) O'Donoghue a 8 7
SOMERTON (Mr. M. Arnott) ...Owner 3 8 2
ORMINT (Mr. C. Cole) ...Owner 3 8 2

3.0—THE HEADFORT CUP, value 50 sovs. (presented by the Marquis of Headfort), with 50 sovs. added from the fund. A weight for age steeplechase. 3 m. Age. st. lb.
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GLASS ISLAND (Mrs. Croft) ...Ussher a 10 13
SEA MIRAGE (Mr. E. Delany) ...Owner a 10 13
AVICKEEN (Mr. T. Killian) ...Cleary a 10 13
CHILD OF THE HILLS (Mr. T. D. M'Keever) ...Alexander a 10 13
KILMEAGUE (Mr. Jas. Fitzsimon) Owner 6 10 9
TENDER MIRA (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 6 10 9
PARKANESKA (Mr. S. H. Dennis) Fetherston 5 10 8

3.30—THE JUNE PLATE of 60 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A flat race. 1 m. 6 f. Age. st. lb.
GLOWANNA (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) H. Hartigan a 11 5
DRUMLASSIE (Capt. R. B. Brassey) Hartigan 4 11 5
PRINCE PAM (Mr. E. Delany) ...Owner a 11 5
ROYAL GROSVENOR (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 4 11 5
PACIFIER (Mr. J. Musker) ...Parkinson 5 11 5
HARRY LORREQUER (Mr. C. A. Rogers) Owner 6 11 5
PATSY (Mr. J. Nugent) ...Nugent 5 11 5
BACHELOR'S SECRET (Mrs. Wilson Scott) Brabazon 5 11 5
GREAT PET (Mr. D. J. Cogan) ...Staunton 4 11 0
BRUGH-NA-BOINNE (Mr. E. Delany) Owner 6 10 12
JOALA (Mr. W. Larkin) ...Owner 4 10 12
ELGAR (Mr. V. Morton Jackson) Mitchell 5 10 12
WHITE HEATHER (Mr. M'Dermott) Owner 5 10 12
CENTRE PIECE (Mr. Jas. Mathew) Owner 6 10 12
TREBLE APPLAUSE (Mr. P. Rogers) Arnott 4 10 12
SCARLET PIMPERNEL (Mr. O. Swords) Grundy 4 10 12
MISS V.V. (Mr. Jos. Walshe) ...Walshe 5 10 12
RATHFEIGH (Mr. T. D. M'Keever) Alexander 5 10 12
REWARD (Mr. T. D. M'Keever) ...Walker 5 10 12
BOBBY'S PRIDE (Mr. R. O'Neill) ...Owner 6 10 12
BUBBLE ON (Mr. T. P. O'Reilly) Owner 5 10 12
BALMUIR (Mr. G. Revelle) ...Brooks 4 10 12
THISTLE BELL (Mr. F. Mangan) ...Owner 4 10 12
TYRANOGUE (Mr. J. Carpenter) ...Owner 5 10 12
ALL THE WAY (Mr. Thomas Clarke) Owner a 10 9
BARORMA (Mrs. K. O'Donoghue) O'Donoghue a 10 9
WHIRL (Mr. G. J. Ball) ...Private a 10 9
GOLDEN RHODA (Mr. M. J. Cunningham) Owner a 10 9
NAUL PARK (Mr. J. R. Markey) ...Owner a 10 9

4.0—THE PATRONS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2½ m. Age. st. lb.
SOUTHERN GLEAM (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) H. Hartigan a 12 7
RISING MOON (Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone) Fetherston 6 11 10
NURNEY (Mr. Jas. Fitzsimon) ...Malone a 11 7
OUR QUEEN (Mr. J. A. Gibson) ...Owner a 11 7
TULLY (Mr. R. Power) ...Ussher a 11 1
SERPOLETTE (Mr. E. Delany) ...Owner a 11 0
DOUBLE B. (Mr. E. J. Hope) ...Walker a 11 0
WISE GIRSHA (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) ...Owner a 11 0
GRECIAN WAVE (Mr. W. Hume) Morrison 6 10 8
RYAN'S DAUGHTER (Mr. J. P. M'Dermott) Owner a 10 3
KEEP TIME (Mrs. Croft) ...Ussher a 10 3
LUGMORE (Mr. Kiernan) ...O'Rorke a 10 0
AFTER THE WAR (Mr. J. Barron) ...Owner a 10 0

4.30—THE LOYD PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 6 f. Age. st. lb.
ELLEN'S BEAU (Mr. P. Rogers) ...Arnott 6 9 12
V.V. (Mr. Jos. Walshe) ...Walshe 6 9 7
POIRET (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ...Owner 6 9 2
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CRICKET.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY V. MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY.

CENTURIES BY McCAUSLAND AND HEASLIP.

Dublin University made a splendid recovery yesterday in the College Park, and after being left in an unenviable position on Monday night finished up by having the better of the draw with Manchester University. For this good position Trinity have chiefly to thank McCausland and Heaslip, both of whom gave splendid batting displays and topped the century. McCausland, who made 101, was only batting sixty-five minutes. He treated the bowling with scant courtesy, and in a faultless innings hit 16 boundaries. Heaslip was not so aggressive as McCausland. He played a fine innings, however, and in a stay of two and a half hours at the wickets hit ten 4's. G. N. Kelly got 43 and A. W. Kelly 27, and the innings, having been in progress three and a quarter hours, was declared with eight wickets down.

Manchester, left with 275 to win, had only two and a half hours to get the runs. Their opening batsmen did well, and 120 went up with but two wickets down. Later, however, matters went badly, and when time was called the visitors had lost eight wickets for 176. Matthews played a fine innings for 93, and was out to a smart catch by McCausland. He gave no chance, and hit eight boundaries. The wicket played splendidly, and the fielding on both sides was very keen. Sugden got four wickets for 49 runs. Score:—

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY—First Innings 100
Second Innings
J. G. Heaslip not out 100
M. Sugden b Smith 21
A. H. Robinson b Whitehead 20
A. W. Kelly c Reave b Richardson 27
T. F. Carey c and b Jackson 10
C. E. McCausland c Jackson b Whitehead 101
G. N. Kelly b Jackson 43
D. Kennedy run out 3
J. H. King b Jackson 0
J. F. Lawrence not out 2
Extras 5
Total (8 wkts.)* 332
* Innings declared.

MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY—First Inns. 158
Second Innings.
W. A. Richardson run out 5
T. T. Rush c Carey b Peacocke 19
R. L. Matthews c and b McCausland 93
G. L. Jackson not out 43
H. C. Smith l.b.w. b Sugden 2
T. B. Whitehead b Sugden 0
J. D. Hodson b Sugden 3
P. Lord b Sugden 4
R. L. Holt run out 0
Extras 7
Total (8 wkts.) 176

ENGLAND V. SOUTH AFRICA.

England won the first Test Match of the season by an innings and 18 runs yesterday at Edgbaston, the South Africans' last wicket falling just after a quarter to one. In scoring 390 after following on 408 behind, Taylor's team accomplished an undoubtedly good performance; but the unexpected success in dismissing the visitors so readily may have caused some slackening among the fielding side as an inevitable reaction immediately followed the establishment of a low scoring record. Yesterday this was obvious when a comfortable victory had become assured.

Catterall, when 104, was missed from consecutive strokes off Tate. Woolley the previous day in the slips dropped a much simpler catch; and Kilner, running out from mid-on, dropped a ball he would ordinarily hold without difficulty. Otherwise Catterall batted extremely well, in strongest contrast to his unsteady start on Monday, when he might have been out to any ball before getting accustomed to the pace of the pitch. In raising his 52 to 120 he scored chiefly by drives, treating Gilligan almost as severely as the other bowlers. Twice he drove Woolley into the pavilion, and his other best hits were 15 fours, 4 threes, and 9 twos. He was loudly cheered on making his score the highest of the match and on passing his hundred. Taking risks when joined by Parker, he played fearlessly, and, despite three chances, the first at 41, besides other good fortune, Catterall deserved high praise for a plucky and attractive display, lasting three hours and a quarter. Going in third wicket down at 152, Catterall was last out, caught at extra mid-off, in trying one more drive, Tate having well deserved the wicket. Altogether the Africans' second innings lasted six hours and a quarter, five minutes less batting than England took over their 438.

Yesterday the South Africans' six wickets fell in an hour and three-quarters, in raising the total to 390, the 116 runs having to be fought for except when Catterall hit out, and delay in altering the field allowed Ward to help himself on the leg side. Gilligan started with a wide, but the next ball got Blanckenberg brilliantly caught at slip by Chapman, with the right hand stretched to the extreme limit. The partnership added 114 overnight.

When Deane lost his wicket in attempting a fourth run and Nupen was leg-before to Tate, a quick finish seemed in store, but Ward stayed 35 minutes while 53 were added, Catterall punishing Woolley freely.

In winning so comfortably, after being put in to bat, England owed most to Gilligan and Tate. The other four bowlers proved ineffective. Parkin was the one man in the England team out of harmony with the standard of Test Match cricket, his fielding falling below the side's general work, which has often been excelled by an England team. Gilligan made his record for the match, 11 wickets for 90, and Tate 8 for 114. The professional bowled far better in the second innings than his figures suggested. The pitch showed signs of wearing yesterday, Tate making the ball get up very straight sometimes, and, with the weather holding fine, was faster than on the previous days.

Upon leading England to her first victory in a Test Match in this country since 1912 Arthur Gilligan will receive unstinted congratulations, and his spirited manner helped to make him a successful captain, besides accomplishing one of the most remarkable bowling performances in Test Match cricket. Score:—

ENGLAND—First Innings.

Hobbs l.b.w. b Blanckenberg	76	Kilner c and b Pegler	59
Sutcliffe b Parker	64	Tate c Taylor b Parker	19
Woolley c Ward b Parker	64	A. E. R. Gilligan b Pegler	13
Hendren c Nourse b Parker	74	G. E. C. Wood b Parker	1
A. P. F. Chapman b Parker	8	Parkin not out	8
P. G. H. Fender c Taylor b Blanckenberg	36	Extras	16
		Total	438

Bowling—Parker, 6 for 152; Pegler, 2 for 106; Blanckenberg, 2 for 95; Nupen, 0 for 66; Nourse, 0 for 3.

SOUTH AFRICA.

	First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H. W. Taylor b Tate	7	c and b Tate	34
R. H. Catterall b Gilligan	0	c Hobbs b Tate	120
M. J. Susskind c Kilner b Tate	3	b Gilligan	51
A. D. Nourse l.b.w. b Gilligan	1	c Wood b Gilligan	34
J. M. Commaille not out	1	c Hendren b Tate	29
J. M. Blanckenberg b Tate	4	c Chapman b Gilligan	56
H. G. Deane b Gilligan	2	run out	5
E. P. Nupen b Gilligan	0	l.b.w. b Tate	5
S. G. Pegler b Tate	0	c Hobbs b Gilligan	6
T. A. Ward b Gilligan	1	b Gilligan	19
G. M. Parker l.b.w. b Gilligan	0	not out	2
Extras	11	Extras	29
Total	30	Total	390

Bowling.—First Innings—Gilligan, 6 for 7; Tate, 4 for 12. Second Innings—Gilligan, 5 for 83; Tate, 4 for 103; Parkin, 0 for 38; Kilner, 0 for 40; Fender, 0 for 56; Woolley, 0 for 41.

NOTTS V. HAMPSHIRE.

There was an interesting finish to the match between Notts and Hampshire at Trent Bridge yesterday, the home county declaring with three wickets down, and winning shortly after 6 o'clock by 124 runs. By the adoption of forcing methods Notts scored 157 in ninety minutes for the loss of only one more wicket. Whysall, who established complete mastery over the bowling, gave a brilliant display, batting faultlessly throughout the innings, which occupied three hours and forty minutes. Requiring 346 to win, Hampshire lost two wickets for 27, and, following a determined stand by Day and Mead, which produced 70, collapsed in surprising fashion, eight wickets falling for 137. Score:—

NOTTS—First Innings 275
Second Innings
G. Gunn b Newman 4
Whysall not out 150
J. Gunn l.b.w. b Boyes 20
Carr l.b.w. b Browne 68
Payton not out 50
Extras 15
Total (3 wkts.)* 307
*Innings declared.

HAMPSHIRE—First Innings 217
Second Innings.
Day b Barratt 37
Kennedy b Barratt 2
Aird c Staples b Richmond 12
Mead l.b.w. b Barratt 84
Tennyson c Oates b Richmond 5
Brown l.b.w. b Richmond 6
Smith b Richmond 1
Newman c Matthews b J. Gunn 0
Bowell st Oates b Richmond 6
Livsey b Richmond 67
Boyes not out 6
Extras 13
Total 239

Bowling.—Notts—Second innings: Kennedy, 0 for 78; Newman, 1 for 72; Brown, 1 for 54; Boyes, 1 for 57; Bowell, 0 for 24; Aird, 0 for 7. Hampshire—Second innings: Matthews, 0 for 36; Barratt, 3 for 45; Staples, 0 for 33; Richmond, 6 for 35; Gunn, 1 for 27.

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SUSSEX V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

Hopelessly outplayed on Monday evening, Leicester had no chance of saving their game at Horsham yesterday, an hour's play sufficing for Sussex to gain an easy victory by ten wickets. Score:—

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings 186
Second Innings.
Lord b Parkes 3
Sidwell l.b.w. b Browne 2
Astill b Parkes 0
King c and b Parkes 5
Fowke not out 18
Mounteney l.b.w. b Parkes 2
Bradshaw st. Cornford b Parkes 2
Benskin st. Cornford b Parkes 0
Shipman b Parkes 4
Bale c Cook b Bowley 15
Skelding b Cox 1
Extras 2
Total 51

SUSSEX—First Innings 233
Second Innings.
Bowley not out 3
Gilligan not out 1
Extras 2
Total (no wkt.) 6

LANCASHIRE V. SURREY.

Surrey took the first innings points from Lancashire at Old Trafford yesterday. Indeed, they seemed near to forcing victory outright, but though claiming the extra half-hour, they failed to dispose of Lancashire's last three wickets. To their overnight score of 156 Surrey added 111 for the remaining three wickets. At the interval, the Lancashire total was 31 for one. After Hopwood's departure at 44, Iddon helped Watson to subscribe 47 in an hour. Watson batted well for two hours and twenty minutes, and he hit eight 4's. The seventh wicket fell at 140, but during the last hour Tyldesley and Green defended manfully and played out time, the match being left drawn. Score:—

SURREY—First Innings 193
Second Innings.
D. J. Knight c Rhodes b Hickmott 8
Sandham l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley 14
Jeacocke b R. Tyldesley 26
Shepherd c Duckworth b R. Tyldesley 27
Abel l.b.w b R. Tyldesley 3
Peach c and b Hickmott 1
Hitch b Rhodes 13
Jardine c Green b Hickmott 91
Jennings st Duckworth b R. Tyldesley 14
Strudwick c Hopwood b R. Tyldesley 34
S. Fenley not out 0
Extras 7
Total 238

LANCASHIRE—First Innings 166
Second Innings.
Makepeace c Shepherd b Peach 1
Hopwood c Shepherd b Hitch 25
Iddon c Jardine b Fenley 12
Watson b Fenley 73
Rhodes c Sandham b Peach 0
Leach c and b Peach 3
Hallows c Strudwick b Shepherd 15
L. Green not out 22
R. Tyldesley not out 32
Extras 14
Total (7 wkts.) 197

Bowling.—Surrey—Second innings: R. Tyldesley, 6 for 79; Hickmott, 3 for 68; A. Rhodes, 1 for 35; Watson, 0 for 37; Iddon, 0 for 12.
Lancashire—Second inns.: Hitch, 1 for 38; Peach, 3 for 45; Fenley, 2 for 41; Shepherd, 1 for 24; Jennings, 0 for 14; Abel, 0 for 15; Jardine, 0 for 6.

DERBYSHIRE V. YORKSHIRE.

This match ended at Chesterfield yesterday in a victory for Yorkshire by 137 runs. Score:—

YORKSHIRE—First Innings 169
Second Innings 205
DERBYSHIRE—First Innings 74
Second Innings.
Storer l.b.w. b Rhodes 13
Bowden l.b.w. b Waddington 10
Hutchinson c Waddington b Rhodes 13
G. R. Jackson b Macaulay 0
Carter c Rhodes b Waddington 28
Townsend c Anson b Macaulay 3
A. H. Jackson b Macaulay 0
Norton l.b.w. b Macaulay 4
Horsley c Macaulay b Rhodes 36
Elliott not out 32
Bestwick b Rhodes 0
Extras 20
Total 163

MIDDLESEX V. SOMERSET.

There was an early finish to the match at Lords yesterday, for shortly after half-past eleven Somerset defeated Middlesex, by 37 runs. The innings closed for 149, the last two wickets falling for 17 runs, and, without getting much assistance from the pitch, White bowled admirably, securing four wickets at a cost of just over seven runs apiece. Score:—

MIDDLESEX—First Innings 128
Second Innings.
Dales l.b.w. b White 19
Lee b Robertson-Glasgow 0
Hearne l.b.w. b White 28
Bruce b White 26
Haig b Robertson-Glasgow 6
Mann b Robertson-Glasgow 2
Kidd run out 0
Murrell b White 1
Crutchley b Earle 41
Durston not out 15
Fowler b Earle 0
Extras 5
Total 149

SOMERSET.
First Innings 178
Second Innings 136

Bowling—Middlesex—Second Innings—Robertson-Glasgow, 3 for 81; Bridges, 0 for 9; White, 4 for 29; Hunt, 0 for 4; Earle, 2 for 21.

ESSEX V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

The first fixture of the Colchester festival ended in a splendid victory for Gloucestershire, by four wickets. The visitors were set the big task of scoring 296 to win, but against the bowling, neither individually or collectively strong, the runs came at a steady pace, the required number being hit off in about four hours. Score:—

ESSEX.
First Innings 188
Second Innings 302
GLOUCESTERSHIRE—First Innings 195
Second Innings.
Dipper c Russell b Douglas 116
Lyon l.b.w. b O'Connor 25
Smith c Perrin b Hipkin 96
Bloodworth l.b.w. b Russell 27
Rogers c and b Russell 0
Hammond not out 31
Parker c O'Connor b Douglas 0
Salter not out 0
Extras 14
Total (6 wickets) 295

Bowling—Essex—Second Innings—Hammond, 1 for 120; Parker, 2 for 87; Mills, 5 for 91; Dennett, 2 for 84.
Gloucestershire—Second Innings—Morris, 0 for 33; Eastman, 0 for 51; O'Connor, 1 for 32; Hipkin, 1 for 65; Franklin, 0 for 47; Russell, 2 for 33; Douglas, 2 for 25.

KENT V. WORCESTERSHIRE.

Putting up a capital struggle, Worcestershire were beaten by 93 at Tonbridge yesterday, the game finishing at 3 o'clock. That the margin was not more pronounced was due to a splendid innings by Foster, who stayed three hours to score 128 out of 215. Although not flawless, chances being offered at 41 and 61, the Worcestershire captain's effort was most attractive, his accurate hitting to leg, in particular, securing him many runs. Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE—First Innings 158
Second Innings.
Foster c Hever b Cornwallis 128
Tarbox b Cornwallis 7
Preece b Hever 0
Wilson l.b.w. b Freeman 1
Pearson b Collins 6
Coventry c and b Ashdown 13
Somers l.b.w. b Freeman 14
Root l.b.w. b Collins 27
Jewell not out 6
Bryant b Cornwallis 5
Rogers c and b Freeman 1
Extras 17
Total 231

KENT.
First Innings 137
Second Innings 345

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Holders of the 7½ per Cent. First Preference Shares of Crosse and Blackwell, Ltd., are showing hostility to the re-organisation scheme. They argue (says the *Evening Standard*) that they subscribed the original capital, and are not disposed to sacrifice any part of the principal. The Second Preference and Ordinary Shares were taken by the vendors, and the marketing of these shares left an unpleasant impression. It is true that the Second Preference and Ordinary Shareholders are making heavier capital sacrifices than the First Preference Shareholders, but the Second Preference and Ordinary Shares are to be treated very liberally in future dividends, and it seems that the complaint of the First Preference Shareholders is justified.

A dividend from the British South Africa Company (Chartered) calls up memories of hopes and disappointments covering a period of over thirty years of strenuous Empire building in the heart of Africa. The company was incorporated by Royal Charter in 1889, and had, up to quite recently, a capital of £9,000,000 in £1 shares, of which 8,937,533 shares were issued and fully paid. Following the Cave award and the granting of self-government to Southern Rhodesia, a return of 5/- per share was made, which reduced the issued capital to £6,703,149. The present announcement of 6d. per share, free of tax, is therefore equal to 3⅓ per cent. on the 15/- shares, and represents a total cash distribution of £223,438.

The good mining conditions now ruling on the Rand are reflected by the "Johnnies" and Rand Mines group dividend declarations. Once the effect of the political crisis has worn off, it cannot fail to be recognised what good omens are the declaration of 3/-, free of tax, on "Johnnies" and 6/6 on Government Areas. The first is a record for any year since the company's capital reached its present amount, while the second is an absolute record for any half-year, in the history of the Government Areas. Rand Mines is again paying 3/- per share, as on the last two half-yearly occasions. This is what was foreshadowed at the last meeting. The "Corner House" group as a whole—with the single exception of Nourse Mines—is paying the same for the first half of this year as for the second half of last year, and considerably more than for the first half of 1923.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

FUNDS HARDER. GUINNESS DULL. RAILS IRREGULAR. COURTAULDS AND IMPERIAL TOBACCOS SUPPORTED. MARCONIS BUSY AND LOWER.

There was a quiet volume of dealing on 'Change again yesterday, with very few points of interest and importance. The increased Edward and John Burke dividend, with record profits and reserve allocation, created a favourable impression, and the Ord. shares were bid for. Marconi Ord. were a feature of weakness, as the shares were pressed back steadily, with support also in the market. Government National Loan was again a firm, but quiet, market. British Funds were well held, with Conversion 3½ p.c. Loan a full ⅛ higher. Consols and War Loan 5 p.c. were steady. The latter security improved at the later session. Banks were quiet and featureless. Guinness Ord. eased a shade, but Power and Son Pref. were again wanted. There was a little irregularity in Home Railway stocks, but business was limited. Dublin United Tramway securities closed firm. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were harder. Alliance Gas were easier. Textiles and Tobaccos were idle generally, and prices did not alter much. Burke Ord. improved on the record profits and favourable report. Oils were on offer.

Government National 5 p.c. Loan repeated 92¼.

In British Funds, Consols repeated 57⅜ and Guaranteed Land 2¾ p.c. 56¼. War Loan 5 p.c. opened unaltered at 101 7/16, but later rose ⅛ to 101 9/16; Funding Loan ⅛ to 89 3/16, and Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅛ to 78⅛.

Dealing in Banks was confined to Hibernians, which repeated 7 3/16.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. eased ⅛ to 41 5/16, ⅛, while J. Power and Son Pref. rose 1½d. to 20s. 4½d.

City Steam stock repeated 138.

Marconi Ord. opened 3d. lower at 29s. 6d., and fell away steadily to 29s. 1½d., with 29s. 3d. the closing price. The Debs. quoted 100½. Radio Preferred gave way 4½d. to 18s. 7½d.

Among Home Railways, Great Southern Ord. fell ½ to 46, but the Guaranteed rose 1 to 66. Midland Great Western improved ½ to 34 for a small lot, and the Guaranteed Rent Charge repeated 57. Great Northern Pref. fell ⅛ to 60⅛ for an exceptional lot, and the Debs. repeated 75.

In Trams, Dublin United Ord. repeated 7½, but the "B" 3½ p.c. Debs. rose 1 to 69.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. were harder at 7s. 4½d. Parent Tyre shares were neglected.

Alliance Gas shares fell ⅛ to 6⅛.

Among Manufacturing shares, Coats repeated 60s. 9d. and Cottons 52s., while Courtaulds rose to 59s. 6d. Imperial Tobacco shares rose 3d. to 72s. 9d., 73s., and Lever Bros. 8 p.c. Pref. repeated 21s.

In Trading, etc., E. and J. Burke Ord. rose 1s. to 81s., and the Pref. repeated 79s. Irish-American Oil Pref. 19s. 6d. *Irish Times* Pref. 66s., and ditto 2nd Pref. 15s. 6d.

Shell Transports further fell 9d. to 82s. 3d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.
Transactions for cash marked "c."

National Loan.(92¼)	92¼	Lon., M. & Scot.	98½
Consols ....(57⅜)	57⅜	M.G.W. Ord..(33¼)	*34
5% War Loan		Do. Rt. Charge.(57)	57
(101¼)	101 7/16	Dublin Tram.....(7½)	*7½
Funding Ln.(89 3/16)	89 3/16	Do. B Deb.....(68)	69
Conver. Loan..(78)	78⅛	Alliance Gas.....(6¼)	6⅛
5½% Exch. Bonds	101¾	Coats ....(60/9)	60/9
Guar. Land....(56¼)	56¼	Cottons ....(52/-)	*52/-
Hibernian Bk..(7¼)	7 3/16	Courtaulds	59/6
Guinness ..(41¼)	41⅜ ¼	Imp. Tob.(72/9)	72/9 3/-
Power Pf...(20/3)	*20/4½	Burke Ord....(80/-)	81/-
City Steam.....(138)	138	Do. Pref......(79/-)	79/-
Marconi..(29/9)	29/6 /4½ /3 /1½ /3	Irish-American Oil	19/6
		Irish Times 5½%	
Do. 6½% Deb.	100½	(66/-)	66/-
Radio Pref.	18/7½	Do. 6½% ....(15/6)	15/4
G.S.W. Ord.....(46¼)	46	Dunlops ....(7/4½)	7/4½
Do. Guar.........(65)	*66	Shells ....(83/-)	82/3
G.N. Pref. ......(60¼)	*60⅛		
Do. Deb.............(75)	75		

*Odd lot; b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount	5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
Deposit	2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	June 23	July 7
General contango day	June 24	July 8
Ticket day	June 25	July 9
Account day	June 26	July 10

BELFAST.

Exchange was firm and prices well maintained. War Loan was dealt in at 101⅜, and later improved to 101½. Conversion Loan 78⅛. Northern Bank "A" Shares fully maintained recent advance at 5⅝. Westminster Bank 17 11/16. Belfast Harbour Commissioners 3½ p.c. 73. Great Northern Railway Stock 61⅜. Brookfield Linen Co. dealt in at 12 and Pref. offered at 4. Robertson, Ledlie and Ferguson 6¼, Young and Anderson 5½ p.c. Pref. 13s., Davidson and Co. 5 p.c. Debs. 85. Fairbairn Lawson Combe Barbour 5 p.c. Pref. 14s., British-American Tobacco Ord. 106s., Imperial Tobacco 72s. 9d. Dunlops lower at 7s. 3d. Levers 8 p.c. Pref. 21s., White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. 24s. 6d. Pease and Partners New Shares 4½d. premium.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—A little weakness shown; Singers reacted; Standards easier; Austin Debs. weakening; Enfields quoted better; Dunlops firmer after Monday's relapse. Austins, 2/3; do. Debs., 58½; Bluemels, 34/-; Calthorpes, 10½d.; Components, 3/6; S.T.D., 4/1½; Enfields, 23/-; Humbers, 22/9; Rolls, 26/6; Rovers, 14/6; Singers, 33/-; Standards, 43/3; Swifts, 5/-; Triumphs, 29/3; Vauxhalls, 4/9; Dunlops, 7/4½; Parents Def., 31/6; Harper Bean, 6d.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles show little change, but Bradford Dyers easier. Bleachers, 50/6-51/6; do. Pref., 21/9-22/3; Calicos, 35/9-36/-; do. Pref., 18/3-18/9; Dyers, 60/6-51/6; do. Pref., 20/6-20/9; Cottons, 52/-53/-; do. Pref., 19/3-19/9; Spinners, 45/6-46/-; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; "Slubbers," 7/6-7/9; Coats, 61/-61/6; Ship Canal, 7⅛-7⅜; do. Pref., 7⅛-7 3/16; Velvets, 28/-28/3.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance, 13 9/16, ½, ⅛, ⅛ (x.d., x.b.); Associated Re-insurance, 11/9, 6d.; British General, 43/-, 2/9, 7½d., 3/-; Caledonian, 13⅛, £13 10/9, 13⅛; Commercial Union, 19⅛, £19 14/-, £19 11/9, 19⅞; Employers' Liability, 73/-, 9d., 3¼d.; General Accident, 6⅞, ⅞; Guardian (x.d.), 7⅛, £7 5/9; London Associated, 5/6, 7½d., 10½d.; London Assurance, £10 13/-, £10 14/3, 10⅜; North British, 18⅞, £10; Northern, 14⅞, £14 13/-, 14⅜; Prudential "B," 26/9, 7/-; Royal Exchange, 533½, 5, 3; Royal (x.d.), £26 13/-, 26⅞, ⅛, ⅛, ⅜; Scottish Union, 9⅛, ⅛; Victory, 2/6, 1½d., 9½d., 7½d.; World Auxiliary, 22/9, 3/1½, 2/3, 6d., 9d.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, 17¼; Caledonian, 13⅞, 10/9; Commercial Union, 19⅞, 11/16; Employers' Liability, 73/-; General Accident, 6⅞; London and Lancashire, 17 11/16, 18; London Assurance, 10¼; North British, 18⅛, 1/16, 1/16, 6/-; Northern Assurance, 14 11/16; Phœnix, 11 7/16; do. Pelican, 1¾; Royal Exchange, 532; Royal Insurance (x.d.), 26⅛.

TEA SHARES.

Market dull, and prices irregular:—Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 50/-–3d.; Ceylon Plant, 85/7½–10½d.; Chargola, 60/-+1/-; Chubwa, 74/9+3d.; Con. T. and L. Ord., 45⅛–⅛; Doom Dooma, 85/-–6d.; E.I. and Ceylon, 43/-–3d.; Imperial Ord., 41/9+3d.; Jhanzie, 65/9–9d.; Jokai, 69/6–6d.; Jorehaut, 77/6+1/3; Lungla, 31/6–1/9; Nedeem, 64/6–6d.; Singlo Ordinary, 70/6–6d.

Business done:—Assam, 33/6, 10½d., 4/-, 3/10½; Assam Frontier, 48⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Bengal United, 63/9, 3/-; Assam Consolidated (11/- paid), 6/9, 6/-, 8d., 3d.; Chubwa (x.d.), 75/-, 4/6, 4/-, 9d.; Consolidated Tea and Lands, 46, 5⅞; Doom Dooma, 86/9, 6/-, 5/-; Empire, 69/6, 8/6, 8/-, 9/-; Imperial (x.d.), 42/-, 1/9, 6d., 9d.; Jhanzie, 66/6, 5/9 (x.d. and b.); Jokai, 69/-, 3d., 6d., 70/9, 69/9, 6d. (x.d. and b.); Jorehaut, 77/6; Lungla, 32/-, 1/6; Longai Valley, 43/-, 6d.; Nedeem (x.d.), 64/6; Singlo, 71/6, 70/6.

OIL REPORT.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions.—The London management of the Venezuelan Oil Concessions, Ltd., have received the following telegram from Venezuela:—"Well R 7 came in 14th June 1,550 feet, production 700 tons per day." This well is situated in the La Rosa field, approximately 300 metres south of Well R 6—formerly called Barroso No. 3—which was brought into production on the 23rd of January last.

LONDON STOCKS QUIET

GILT-EDGED FUNDS GOOD.

The Stock markets were quiet yesterday, but, despite the fact that business was extremely small, a firm tone was noticeable in Gilt-edged Securities. British Funds were the turn higher where any change occurred. Funding Loan rose ⅛ to 89⅛, and the 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 78⅛ was also ⅛ up. India 5½ were quoted at 102 x.d., while Local Loans were ½ better at 66.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, with the exception of French issues, were firmer. Argentine 5 p.c. 1886 at 101 and the Recessions at 78 were both a point higher. Brazil 4 p.c. 1889 rose 1 to 47, as did the 5 p.c. Funding 1914 to 77. Chinese were slightly better at 94⅛, while Peruvian Debs. at 96 were a point higher. French Loans had a slight set-back, the Fives losing ½ to 24, while the Fours at 18 x.d. were also ½ lower.

HOME RAILS were dull, business being exceedingly scarce. Metropolitans fell ½ to 80½, while North-Eastern Def.-Ord. were ¼ lower at 29⅞.

COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILS were also extremely quiet. Prices as a rule were maintained at overnight levels. Buenos Ayres Western, however, were ½ lower at 75, while Centrals also fell ⅛ to 73.

OIL SHARES UNCHANGED.

TONE REMAINS SATISFACTORY.

Taken as a whole, the Oil share market maintained a satisfactory tone yesterday, and, while general business remained small, some good features were presented, notably by V.O.C. Holdings, in which there was a large turnover, and by Lobitos, which soared to a new high record. Otherwise the tendency was irregular. Among the leaders Royal Dutch figured prominently, although they were on the dull side, while transactions in the Fractions representing Coupon No. 55 were numerous. Royal Dutch finally registered a decline, and the Fractions were also lower on balance. Shells maintained a fairly steady tone, and, in fact, hardened at one time, but they slipped back to the overnight level. Burmahs were a firm market, the price responding to a moderate demand, and Anglo-Persians also strengthened, while Mexican Eagles were slightly harder. Good buying was in progress of V.O.C. Holdings throughout the day at steadily advancing prices, the demand being attributable to the announcement that Well R 7 had been brought into production. The shares left off strong in the street, showing a further appreciable gain. Among other Venezuelans British Controlled were on the dull side, the price yielding on a moderate amount of offering. Strength continued to be displayed by Lobitos. Closing prices:—

M.U. June 10.				
½	Agwi Petroleum	½	½	
3⅜	Anglo-American	3⅜	3⅝	+ 1/16
2⅝	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2⅜	2⅝	+ 1/16
1¾	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅞	1⅞	− 1/16
24/1½	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	24 0	24 6	
24/1½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	24 0	24 6	
3	Do. Ord.	2¾	3⅛	+ 1/16
94	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	93	95	
2¾	Apex Trinidad	2⅝	2⅞	+ 1/16
2	Attock	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	⅝	¾	
7/6	British Burmah (8/-)	6 9	7 9	
13/0	British Controlled	12 7½	12/10	−0/4½
12 10½	Do. Pref.	12 6	12 9	−0/4½
4	Burmah	5⅜	5⅝	+ ⅛
26/3	Do 8 p.c. Pref.	26 3	26 9	+0 3
3 0	Caltex	2 10½	3 1½	+0/1½
8/6	Dacia Romano	8/6	9 6	
5	Eagle Transport	4⅞	5⅛	
102½	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	102	103	
103½	Do. Bearer	103	104	
4 6	General Pet. Trinidad A.	4/4½	4 10½	+0/1½
16 6	Kern River (10/-)	16 3	17 0	
9½	Lobitos	10	10⅛	+ ⅛
13 9	Mexican Eagle	14 9	15 3	+0/3
13 9	Do. Pref.	14 3	15 0	+0 3
12 3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	12 9	13 3	
⅜	North Caucasian (10/-)	⅜	½	
2 6	Pern Syndicate	1 6	2/6	
23 0	Phœnix	22 9	23/3	−0 7½
—	Rumanian Consolidated	11 9	12/3	
35⅛	Royal Dutch	28⅛	29 xr	− ¼
4⅞	Shell Transport	4⅝	4⅞	
9⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅜	9⅝	
23/1½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24 10½	25 4½	
2 9	Spies (10/-)	2 6	3 0	
10 0	Steaua Romana	9 6	10 0	
8 6	Tankers Pref.	8 3	8 9	
⅛	Trinidad Central	⅛	⅛	+ 1/16
1⅛	Trinidad Lease	1⅛	1¼	
7/0	United Brit. Trinidad	6 7½	7/1½	
9/1½	Ural Caspian	⅝	¾	
4 0	Uroz Oil	4 3	4/9	
2⅛	V.O.C. Holdings	2⅛	2⅜	+ ⅛
2⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2⅛	2⅜	+ ⅛

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Ord.—71/3. **Anglo-Ecuadorian**—50/-, 3½d., 49/8¼, 7½d., 50/-. **Anglo-Persian Ord.**—60/7½, 60/-, 1/3; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—24/1½, 4½d., 4/-, 6d., 1½d. **British Controlled Common**—12/10½, 13/3, 1½d., 12/9, 9½d.; **do. Pref.**—12/9, 10½d., 9½d., 13/-, 12/7½. **Burmah**—5¼, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛, ⅛. **Caltex**—3/-, 2/11¼, 3/0¾, 1½d., 2/10½, 3/1, 3/0¾. **Kern River**—16/7½, 9d. **Lobitos**—9⅞, 10, 9⅞, 59-64, 10 1/16, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—14/7½, 10½d., 15/1½, 3d., 4½d., *17/-, 15/-, 4½d.; **do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.**—12/10½, 9d., 13/-, 3d., 12/9, 13/0¾. **Phœnix Oil**—23/1½, 3/-, 3d., 2/10½, 3/7½, 4½d., 6d. **Royal Dutch**—29⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9, 8⅞, 9⅛, ⅛, 9 1/16, ⅛, ⅛, 8⅞ x.r. **Shell**—82/6, 9½d., 2½d., 1/10½, 3/1½, 1/9, 2/4, 3/5¼, 2/1½, 9d., 3d. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—34/4½, 5/-. **V.O.C. Holdings**—45/-, 7½d., 3d., 5½d., 4/8¼, 5/1½, 6/3, 5/6, *6/3; **do. Pref.**—42/2¼, *3/9, 1½d., 2/6, 4/0¾.
(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

RUBBER SHARES DULL.

A distinctly weaker tone prevailed in the Rubber share market yesterday, and prices were practically without exception marked down where changes occurred. Malacca went down to 25s., a fall of 4s. 9d. on the day. Batu Tiga lost 2s. 6d. to 25s., whilst Selaba at 17s. 6d. were 1s. 6d. down. Kuala Lumpur fell 1s. 4½d. to 28s. 1½d., and United Sua Betong lost 9d. to 52s. 6d. Raw rubber improved to 10½d. per lb. Closing prices:—

M.U. June 10.			
35 3	Anglo-Dutch	35 2¼	−0/1½
2/1½	Anglo-Java	2 0*	−0/1
18/0	Anglo-Malay	18 3	
3 7½	Bertam Cons.	3 7½	
2 3	Bukit Mertajam	2/2½	
1 4½	Bukit Sembawang	1 3	
11 3	Damansara	11 0	−0 3
18 0	Grand Central	18 3	
28/1½	Highlands	27 9	
2/1½	Kamuning	1/11½	−0/2½
3/3	Kepong	3 0	
1⅜	Kuala Lumpur	28 1½	−1/4½
1⅛	Labu	21 6	
1⅛	Linggi	23 9*	
3 0	London-Asiatic	2 10½†	
1⅛	Malacca	25 0	−4/9
30/0	Malayalam	30 0	
2 4½	Merlimau	2 3*	
⅞	Mooply Valley	16 6	
1 10½	Port Dickson	1/9	−3/1
25 3	Rubber Trust	24 9	
⅛	Seafield	8 9	
1¼	Sendayan	26 3	
1⅜	Sialang	27 6	
⅛	Straits Rubber	17/1½	
18/0	Tali Ayer	17/9	
1⅜	Tandjong	27 6	
2/10½	Un. Serdang	2 10	
2⅝	United Sua Betong	52 6	−0/9
9 9	Vallambrosa	9 10½	

Anglo-Sum	42 6		Membakut	7 6	
Bah Lias	26/3		N. Hummock	13 9	
Batu Tiga	25 0	−2/6	P.P.K.(C'p'l'n)	14 4½	
B.N.B.R.Trst	8 7½		Pataling	13 9	
Brieh	1/3		Pilmoor	14 6	
Bukit Cloh	3/3		Rim Malacca	2 2¼	+0/0¾
Bukit Rajah	16 0		Rub.E.Johore	18 9	
Castlefield	3 4½		Sapong	25 6	
Cheviot	2 4		Sapumalk'de.	19 6	
Cicely	7/9		Selangor	3 6	
Eastern Trust	13 0		SerdangC'nt'l	19 4½	
Gen.Ceylon	32 0		Sembar Ajoe.	1 0	
Glenbervie	23 10½		Sumatra Con.	21 0	
Golden Hope	15 3		Sungei Bunya.	26 3*	
Java Amal.	20 6		Sungei Choh.	16 10½	
Jugra Para	29 6		Sungei Kapar.	2 9	
Kamunting	16/1½		Sungei Kr. Pf.	22 9	
Kepitigalla	1/0½		Taiping	1/4½	
Kombok	2 1	−0/1½	Tebrau	26 6¼	
Langkat Sum	17 0		Telogoredjo	32 0	
Ledbury	23/0		Tempeh	6⅛	
Malacca deb.	98½		Un. Temiang.	2 0	−0/1½
Manch'ter N.B.	17/3		Yam Seng	1 10½	

*Ex Div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div.

BRITISH REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for 1924-1925. £	April 1, 1924, to June 14, 1924. £
Customs	101,800,000	20,452,000
Excise	135,900,000	25,392,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	15,600,000	2,396,000
Estate, etc., Duties	56,000,000	13,310,000
Stamps	21,000,000	2,680,000
Land Tax, etc.	1,250,000	520,000
Income Tax	265,000,000	41,039,000
Excess Profits Duty	8,000,000	—
Super-Tax	61,000,000	15,400,000
Corporation Profits Tax	20,000,000	3,890,000
Post Office	63,500,000	10,600,000
Crown Lands	900,000	200,000
Interest on Loans	12,250,000	3,684,165
Miscellaneous—		
Ordinary Receipts	11,850,000	2,692,056
Special Receipts	30,000,000	9,632,965
Total	£794,050,000	£149,888,186

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimate for 1924-1925. £	April 1, 1924, to June 14, 1924. £
National Debt Services	350,000,000	103,105,092
Road Fund	15,000,000	1,328,044
Paym. to Local Taxation	13,150,000	80,000
Payments to Northern Ireland	5,500,000	602,836
Land Settlement	750,000	230,335
Other Consolidated Fund Services	2,440,000	281,681
Supply Services	405,186,000	69,254,000
Total	£790,026,000	£174,882,003

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	57 58	4½%Conv. Ln.	97¾-98¾
War Ln. 3½%	96⅞-97⅛	5½ Treas. Bds.	104⅛-4⅛
do. 4½%	97 98	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	59-60
do. 5%	101⅜-101½	India 3%	57-58*
do. 4% (Tax Free)	101¾-102¾	do. 3½%	66-67*
Fund'g L'n	89¼-89¾ + ⅛	do. 5½%	101⅛-2⅛*
Victory Bds.	92¾-93¾	do. 7%	113-115
3½% Conv. Ln	78⅛-78⅝ + ⅛	Local Lns.	65¾-66½ + ½
		Sudan 5½%	107-109

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943	92-94	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	84 86
Aust. Com. 5½%	100-102	do. 4½, 1920-5	100-101
do. 6%	105-107	do. 6% 1930-40	104-106
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	93-95	S. Africa 4% Cns	88-90
Canada 4%	91-93	do. 6%	104-106
do. 4½ 1920-5	100-101	S A'stri'n4, '40-60	84-86
Cape 3½ Cons.	80-82	do. 5½%	101-103
Ceylon 6%	106-8	do. 6½%	108-110
Natal 3½ '34	81-83	do. 5% 1932-42	100-102
N.S.W. 4½ 1922-7	97-99	Victoria 4 1940-60	86 88
do. 5½ 1922-7	99-101	do. 6½% 1923-5	100-2
do. 5¾% 1922-32	100-102	W. Aus. 4% 42-62	84 86
do. 6½% 1930-40	108-110	do. 5¾% 1930-40	102-104
N. Zeal'd 4, '29	95-97	W. Aus 5% 1935-45	100-2
Nigeria 6%	112-114	W. Aus 6% 1930-40	103-5

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer	7⅛-7⅝	Hong Kong	131-134
Australasia	13¼-13¾	Lloyds	60/0-61/0
Bank N.S.W.	38½-39½*	Midland	8⅝ 8⅞
Do. N. Z.	2⅝-2¾	Nat. Dis. B	8¼-8¾
Barclays A.	7 15/16-8 1/16	Nat Prov (£4)	11⅜-11⅝
Brit. F. Trade	⅝-¾	Royal of Can	48-50*
Do. Overseas	5⅛-5⅜* + 1/16	Stand. S.A.	10⅝-11⅛
Can. of Com	40½ 42½*	Un. Australia	14⅝-15
Char. of India	19 13/16-20 1/16 + ⅛	Westminster	17 13/16-18 1/16 + 1/16

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U. June 10.				
100½	Argentine, 1886	100	102	+1
76¾	Do. 4 p.c. Rescessions	77	79	+1
90½	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	92	94	
44½	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	46	48	+1
87½	Do. Funding, 1908	87	89	
75¾	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	76	78	+1
94	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	94	94¾	+ ⅛
78½	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	78⅜	78⅞	
69½	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	68	70	
98¾	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	98	100	
75¾	Egyptian Unified	75½	77½	
22¾	French Loan	23½	24½	− ½
17½	Do. 4 p.c.	17½	18½*	− ½
16 0	German 3 p.c.	¾	1	
23	Italian Rentes	22	24	
91	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	88	92	
78½	Do. New 5 p.c., 1907.	77	79	
91¾	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	91¼	91¾	
46	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	44	49	
57	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	58	63	
3	Peruvian Corporation	2¾	3¼	
28½	Do. Pref.	28½	29½	
94½	Do. Deb.	95	97	+1
23	Portuguese 3 p.c.	28	30	
109¾	San Paulo 8 p.c.	109	111	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	65	70	
58¾	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	58	59	

BRITISH RAILS.

107½	Great Western	107½	108½	
97½	Ldn., Mid. and Scot. Ord.	97½	98½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	81	83	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	96	99*	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	96	99*	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923.	80	82	
83¾	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	84	85	
29¾	Do. Def. Ord.	29½	30	− ¼
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	81	83	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	80	82	
80½	Metropolitan	80	81	− ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	99	102	
52	Do. District	51½	52½	
85¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	86	87	
42⅜	Do. Def. Ord.	42	43	
38¾	Do. "A"	38	39	
10	Do. "B"	9½	10½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	101	104	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf., 1924	97	100	
2⅛	Underground Electric	2⅛	2¾	
94	Do. Income Bonds	93	95	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	101	103	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

89	Antofagasta	88½	90½	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	80½	82½	
—	Bahia Blanca	81	83	
—	Brazil Railway Common	¾	1¼	
87½	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	87	89	
80	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	79	81	
75¾	Buenos Ayres and W.	74	76	− ½
171¼	Canadian Pacific	169	171*	
73	Central Argentine	72	74	− ½
56½	Central Uruguay	55	57	
—	Entre Rios	19	21	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	77	79	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	80	82*	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Deb.	40	43	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	82	84	
26	Leopoldina	25	27	
7½	Mexican Rails	7	8	
25	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	24	26	
12½	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	11	13	
—	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref.	3⅛	4½	
1¾	Do. 2nd Pref.	1	2	
160	San Paulo Ord.	157	162	
87½	United Havana	85½	87½	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	119	121	
—	Baltimore	65	67	
—	Chesapeake	91	93*	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	14	15	
31¾	Erie	32	33	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	39	41	
—	New York, Ontario	21	23	+2
68	Southern Common	68	70	
—	Do. Pref	84	86	
—	Southern Pacific	104	106*	
—	Union Pacific	154	156*	

TELEGRAPHS.

23¾	Anglo-American Def.	23⅛	24	
1½	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	+ 1/16
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅜	+ 1/16
—	Do. Debs	100	102	
1⅛	Do. Marine	1	1¼	
4 6	Do. Canada	4/1½	4/4½	+0/1½
—	Oriental Telephone	1⅛	2⅛	
17/6	Radio Corporation	17 10½	18/4½	−0/1½
19/3	Do. Pref.	18 6	19 0	

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	⅛	¼	
—	Aerated Bread	1⅝	1¾	
27/3	African and East. Trade.	28 0	30/0	+1/0
30/0	Alianza	22	25*	
23	Allsopp £1 Shares	1½	1⅝	
12 0	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	72	76	
8 0	Amalgamated Cotton	7/6	8/6	
3⅛	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3⅛	3⅜	
64 0	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	63 0	65 0	
—	Argentine Northern Land	¼	½	
23/6	Do. Southern Land	1	1¼	
14 0	Armstrong (W. G.)	14/3	15/3	+0 3
14/5	Associated Cement	13 9	14 9	
15/3	Do. Pref	14 9	15 9	
4⅛	Assd. Newspapers Def.	4⅜	5	
—	Bartholomay Pref.	—	1	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91	
38/0	Do. Ord.	2¾	3	
51 6	Bleachers	2⅛	2⅜	
41/6	Borax Con. Def.	2	2¼	
39/0	Bovril Def.	1⅞	2	
56¼	Brazilian Traction	55	58	
24/6	British Portland Cement.	1⅛	1¼	
10/6	B.S.A.	10/0	11/0	
7/9	British Cellulose Ord.	8/3	8/9	+0/1½
20/3	British Oil and Cake	1	1⅛	
8/0	B.N.B. Land	⅜	½	
87	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	86	89	
85	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs	89	92	
—	British Glass	1/4½	1/7½	
37/0	Brunner Mond	35/0	37/0*	
47/6	Bryant and May	2⅜	2⅝	
61/0	Bradford Dyers	3⅛	3⅜	
106 0	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	104/6	106/6	
35 7½	Calico Printers	1⅝	1¾	
10/0	Cammell Laird	½	⅝	
13 9	Cargo Fleet	13 0	14/0	+0/3
61/9	Coats	3	3⅛*	
58 9	Courtaulds	2¾	3	
—	Court Line	27 9	28 3	
2/1½	Crosse and Blackwell	1/0	2/0	
—	Cunard Ord.	⅞	1	
—	Daily Mail Deb.	106½	107½	
5¼	Daily Mirror Ord.	5⅜	5⅝	+ ⅛
—	De la Rue Deb.	29¾	40⅝	
7/1½	Dunlop Rubber	6 9	7 9	
108	Do. Deb.	106	110	
—	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	102	104	
12/6	Dorman Long	12 0	13 0	
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	18/9	19 9	
—	English Electric	16/0	17 6	
52/9	English Sewing Cotton	2⅝	2¾	
48 0	Fine Spinners	2¼	2⅜*	
20/9	Forestal Land	1	1¼	
—	Furness Withy	1⅛	1¼	
20/4½	General Electric Ord.	19/0	20/6	−0/6
—	Do. Debs.	104	106	
412	Guinness	407	417	
—	Do. Pref.	117	122	+2
—	Gramophone Ord.	1⅜	1½	
39/0	Harrods	1⅞	2⅛	
5½	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5⅜	5⅝	
72/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	72/9	74/3	+0 3
18/9	John Brown	15/6	16 6	
11/0	Do (15/- paid)	½	⅝	
7½	Lautaro Nitrate	8¼	8½	
20/10½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	20/6	21 6	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	106½	108½	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	97	99	
29/6	Lipton	1⅛	1¼	
5⅛	Lyons (J.)	4⅝	5⅛	
34/6	Lagunas Nitrate	34/0	35 0	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	2	2¼	
26/9	Lister Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
69/0	Liverpool Nitrate	68/0	70/0	
61/6	London Nitrate	61 0	63/0	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	29 9	30/3	
4 0	Maypole Def.	3 9	4 3	
—	Mond Nickel Pref.	1⅛	1¼	
25	Mexican Trams	20	23	−3½
—	Do. Bonds	71	74	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	64	67	
14/9	Niger Pref.	14 3	15/3	
23/3	Nobel Ord.	22 9	23/9	
21/4½	Do. Pref.	20 9	21 9	
—	Do. Def.	6 9	7 9	
30 0	Parent Tyre Def.	⅛	¼	
⅞	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
24/6	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1¼*	− 1/16
—	P. and O. Def.	280	290	
10/6	Pekin Syndicate	⅜	½	
—	Peter Walker Ord.	17/0	19/0	
32/6	Platt Bros. Ord.	1⅝	1¾	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	85	90*	
26/6	Rio Negro Lands	¾	⅞	
26/0	Rolls Royce	1⅜	1½	
33/0	Rosario Nitrate	31/0	33 0*	
21 9	Salt Union	1⅛	1¼	
56/6	South Durham Steel	2⅜	2⅝	
—	San Paulo Tram Deb	97	101	+1
35 9	South African Breweries	1¾	1⅞	
—	Shawinigan Water Debs	118	121	
41 0	Santa Rita Nitrate	1⅛	1¼*	
66/3	Santiago Nitrate	3⅛	3⅜	−0/9
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref	1	1⅛	
18/4½	Siemens	1⅜	1½	+ 1/16
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	⅛	¼	
—	Spratt's Patent	1⅝	1¾	
3⅛	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	62/9	63/9	+0/3
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4⅛	4⅜	
14/6	Tarapaca Nitrate	13/6	14/6*	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1	1⅛	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1¼	
8/3	United Steel	6/0	7/0	
10/3	Vickers Ord.	10 0	11/0	
1⅛	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1¼	
—	Do. Pref	4⅛	5⅛	
18 0	Walker (John) Pref.	20/0	21/0	
19/0	Wallpaper Def.	1⅛	1¼	
—	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	1⅛	1¼	

* Ex div.; + ex bonus; ‡ ex rights.

IRISH TRAFFICS.

	Last week. £	Total 24 weeks. £
Gt. Southern	53,437+2,154	1,258,415+147,426
Gt. Northern	37,300+ 950	692,960− 6,050
Midland G. W.	23,655−1,667	544,018− 46,309
Dublin & S.E.	10,444+1,032	217,738+ 3,786
Cork, Bandon	3,066+ 210	71,326+ 35,062
Co. Down	5,033 —	127,528 —

LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

AWAITING THE SOUTH AFRICAN ELECTIONS.

Once more a hesitating tendency was observable in most departments of the House yesterday, but, generally speaking, the tone kept up well. The Kaffir section of the Mining market was still under the influence of the political struggle in the Union, and opinions as to the outcome of the elections were again very much divided. In the circumstances the very satisfactory dividend announcements by the leading companies hardly attracted the attention they deserve, and as Johannesburg was as undecided as London professionals and the public were content to look on and await events. East Rands were again very much in evidence, and buying orders on a large scale were received, with the result that the price further advanced. "Johnnies," Crown Mines, Government Mines and Aurora West were all better on the dividends; but the other movements were downward. One or two of the leaders were fractionally easier, but, taken all round, the losses were neither numerous nor important. In the Rhodesian department, Chartered were again a busy centre, but sellers were in the ascendant, and the price suffered a further setback. Cam and Motor were in request and higher, as were also Falcon and Globes, but the chief feature was provided by Sherwood Starr, which came into strong demand and advanced sharply. Shamva, however, was dull on the report, which was not regarded as very encouraging. Diamonds were quiet. With the price of tin further improving to £226 2s. 6d. per ton, a gain of £4 per ton on the day, a little more animation was noticeable in the shares. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. June 6.			
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1¼	
15/0	Anglo-French	14 9-15 3	
3⅛	Brakpan	3⅜-3⅝	− 1/16
11⅛	Cent. Min'g (£8)	10⅞-10⅞	− 1/16
3⅛	City Deep	3⅛-3⅜	− 1/16
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	1⅛-1¼	
10 3	Cons. MainReef	11 9-12 3	
14/6	Cons. Selec. 10/-	15 0-15 6	
2⅝	Crown Mines (10/-)	2⅝-2⅞	+ 1/16
21 6	Durban Deep	21/6-22 6	
6 9	E Rand Mining	6 3-6 9	
10 3	E. Rand Prop.	11/6-11 9	+0/4½
3¾	Geduld	3⅝-3⅞	
12 6	Gen. Mining	12 9 13 3	
9/9	G. M. Investment	10/3-10 9	
6⅛	Government Areas	6⅛ 6⅜	+ ⅛
13/6	H. E. Prop.	12/9 13 3	
35 9	Johan'burg I'vest	35 9-36/3	+0 3
57 9	Kleinfontein	5 0 5 6	
18 9	Knight's	18 3 18 9	−0/3
23 0	Langlaagte Estate	23 3 23 9	−0 6
3¾	Meyer & Charlton	3⅜-3⅝	
4⅛	M'derfontein(10/-)	3¾-4	
1⅛	Modder B (5/-)	1⅛-1⅜	
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/-)	2⅛ 2⅜	
9/3	Modder East	9 0 9 6	
1⅝	New State Areas	1⅛-1⅜	
9 0	Nigel	8 0-9 0	
12 9	Nourse Mines	12 3-12 9	−0/3
3⅛	Rand Mines (5/-)	3 3⅛	
21/6	Randfontein	19 9 20 3	−0/3
12 0	do. Central	11 9 12 3	−0/3
1½	Rob'son D A (1/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
33/6	Robinson Dp. B	33 3 33/9	
13/9	Rose Deep	13/9 14/3	
⅛	S.A. Gold Trust	⅛-⅛	
7/6	Sabie (5/-)	9/9-10/3	+1/1½
2⅛	Springs Mines	2⅜-2⅝	
11/3	Sub Nigel	11/0 11/6	−0/3
2⅛	Trans. and Del. R.	2⅛-2⅜	
17/0	Trans.Con.L.(15/)	17 0-18 0	
36/6	Union Corp(12/6)	35/9 36/3	
18/0	Van Ryn	19/3 19/9	
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3⅜	
19/0	Vereeniging	18/6-19/6	−0/3
13/3	Village Deep	13/0 13/6	
25/9	West Springs	25/6 26/0	−0/3
8/0	Do. Options	7/0-7/6	−0/3
15	Wit'ersrand Deep	13/6-15/6	−0/3

RUSSIAN.

6/3	Lena Gold	6/6-7/6
5/9	RussoAsiat.Cons.	6/0 6/6
⅛	Russian Mining	3 6 4 6
⅛	Siberian Props	3 0 4 0
½	Spassky	⅜ ⅝

RHODESIAN.

M.U. June 6.			
6/0	Bechuanaland Ex.	6/0-6/6	
3⅛	Cam and Motor	3⅛-3⅜	+ ⅛
9/10½	Chart'd B.S.A.	10/4½-10/-½	−1/1½
3⅛	Falcon	3/6-4/0	+0 6
17/6	Gaika Gold	17/9-18/3	
16/3	Globe & Phœnix (5/)	17/0-17/6	+0/3
7/9	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	7/9-8/3	
1½	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1⅜	
2⅛	Rezende	2⅛-2⅜	
4/9	R.Broken Hill (5/)	4 7½-/10½	+1/1½
12/4½	Selukwe	12/6-13/0	
1⅝	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅜	− ⅛
3⅛	Sherwood Starr	3⅛-3⅜	+ ⅛
18/9	Tanganyika	18/6 19/0	
36/3	Vic. Falls Ord	36/0-37/0	−0/6
31/0	do. Pref.	30/9-31/9	
15/6	Wankie Col. 10/-	15/0-16 0	
12/3	Zambesia Expl.	11/9-12/3	
—	Zambesia Min. D.	⅜-⅝	

DIAMOND.

¾	Angola Diamond	⅝-⅞	
15/9	Con. D. S. W. A.	14/9-15/3	
12⅛	De Beers Def.	12⅛-12⅜	− 1/16
11⅛	do. Pref.	11⅛-11⅜	
2⅛	Jagersfontein	2⅛-2⅜	
⅛	N. Val. River	⅛-⅜	
7⅛	Premier Pf. 5/-	7-7⅛	

AUSTRALIAN.

18 9	Amal. Zinc	⅛-1	
13/9	Associated	13/6-14/0	
25/0	Broken Hill Prop	25 0-26 0	
2⅛	B. Hill Sth. New	2⅛-2⅜	+ 1/16
1/6	B. Hill, Block 10	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref.	1⅛-1⅛	
⅛	Ivanhoe	⅛-⅛	
17/9	Lake View 10/-	17/6-18/6	
3⅛	North Broken Hill	3⅛-3⅜	
13 3	Sulphide Ord.	12/6-13/6	
18 0	Zinc. Ord. (10/-)	⅛-1	+0/4½
2⅛	do. Pref.	2⅛-2⅜	

TIN.

M.U. June 6.			
13/0	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	13/3-13/9	+0/3
4	Aramayo Francke	3⅞-4⅛	
5/3	East Pool (5/-)	5/0-5/6	
2⅛	Gopeng	2-2⅛	
20/6	Ipoh	21/0-22/0	+0/6
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	Malayan T.D.	2⅛-2⅛	
12/3	Mongu	12/4½-/10½	+1/1½
1⅛	Naraguta	1⅛-1⅜	
1½	Nigerian Tin (5/-)	1⅛-1⅛	
10/6	Pahang (5/-)	10/9-11/3	+/4½
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Renong	1⅛-1⅛	
12/0	Ropp (4/ Shs)	12/9-13/3	+0/3
2⅛	Siamese	2⅛-2⅛	
5/0	South Bukeru	5 0-6/0	
2⅛	Tronoh	2⅛-2⅜	+ 1/16

COPPER.

13/0	Arizona (5/-)	⅜-⅜*
¾	Mount Elliott (£5)	⅜-⅜
8 0	Mount Morgan	8/6-9/6
20/7½	Mount Lyell	20/0-21/0
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅛
⅛	New Guinea	⅛-⅛
32⅛	Rio Tinto (£5)	32⅛-32⅜
10/6	S. American 2/-	9/6-10/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

15/0	Brit. Platinum	15/0-15/6	
11/6	Burma Corp.	11/6-12/0	
1/3	Chemical & Met.	1/0-2/0	
4/0	Colombian Min'g	4/3-4/6	
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6	
3/0	Corderoy Synd	2/9-3/1	
3	Huronian Belt	3⅛-3⅛	
10/9	Keeley Silver	10/3-10/9	−0/3
8/9	Kirkland Lake	8/6-9/0	
4⅛	Mexico Mines	4⅛-4⅛	+ 1/16
3⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	3⅛ 4	
12/10½	Min. Crp. of Can.	12/3 12/9	
12/6	Mysore 10/	12/0 13/0	
3/9	Nat. Min. (3/-pd.)	5/6 6/0	
8/6	Nundydroog	8/3-9/3	
14/0	Ooregum	13/9-14/9	
8 9	Oroville	8/9-9 3	+0 3
19/6	St. John Del Rey	19/3-20/3	
22/6	San Francisco 10	21/3-21/9	−0/3
8/3	Santa Gertrudis	8/0-8/6	
—	S. Amer. G. Areas	1⅛-1⅛	
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅛	

WEST AFRICAN.

⅛	Akim	9/9-10/0	−0/3
8/3	Ashanti Gold 4/-	8/0-8/6	
8/4½	Fanti Cons. 8/-	8/0-8/6	
13/9	Gold Coast Amal.	13/6-14/6	
4/7½	Taquah Explor	4/6-5/0	

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

BUSINESS DONE:

Akim—10/-, 9/8¼. **Anglo-American Corp.**—24/9, 8¼d., 4/-. **Brakpan**—*73/1½, 2/6, 1/10¼, 2¼d. **British South Africa (Chart.)**—10/7½, 9d., 6¼d., 6d., 9½d., 8¼d., 4½d., *10/-, 9¼d. **Cam. and Motor**—72/6, 3/2¼, 1½d., 3/9, 5¼d., 4/4½. **Central Mining**—10 9/16, 1/16, *11, *10⅛, *11 1/16. **City Deep**—63/4¼, 4/4¼, 9d., 8¼d., 3d., 4/-, 1½d., 5/7¼. **Cons. Dmd. Mines, S.W. Africa**—15/-, 14/9, 15/1¼, 3d. **Consol. Gold Fields**—18/9, 6d., 7½d. **Consol. Main Reef**—12/-, 11/9, 3d., 11/7¼, 10½d., 12/1¼, 3d. **Consol. Mines Selection**—15/6, 1½d., 3d., 15/-. **Corderoy**—3/1½. **Crown Mines**—57/3, 6d., 9½d., 9d., *8/5¼, 6/10½, 8/9, *9/0¾. **De Beers Def.**—12⅞. **Durban Rood. Deep**—21/6, 2/1½. **East Rand Prop.**—11/7¼, 10/10½, 11/-, 10/9, 7½d., 3d. **Eileen Alannah**—7/-, 7/0¾. **Esperanza**—4/-. **Fanti Consols.**—8/6, 4½d. **Geduld**—64/8¼, 5/7½, 5/-, 5/1¼. **General Mining**—13/-. **Government Areas**—6⅛, 3/-, 1/16, ⅛. **Huronian Belt**—60/7½, 1/3, 6¼d., 10½d. **Johannesburg Invest**—35/11¼, 6/-, 5/9, *4½d. **Langlaagte**—22/3, 9d., 7¼d., 4/-, 4/-, 3/4¼, 1½d., 6d., 10½d. **Minerals Separation**—75/7½, 2/6. **Modderfontein B (5/- shares)**—*27/6, 3d., 4½d., 7/-, 1½d. **Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)**—45/-. **Modderfontein East**—9/-, 1/6. **Mount Lyell**—20/-, 4½d., 3d., 1½d., 19/10½. **New Kleinfontein**—5/4¼, 6d. **New Modderfontein**—80/-, 79/4¼, 8¼d., 8/9, 9/-. **New State Areas**—33/1¼, 4½d., *30/-, 4/3, 6d., 10½d. **Nourse**—12/10½, 8¼d. **Rand Mines**—60/7¼, 60/-, 3½d., *60/-, 59/8¼, 61/3. **Randfontein Central**—11/10½. **Randfontein Estates**—19/10½, 9d., 20/1¼, 3d. **Robinson Deep A**—31/-; **do. B**—33/1½, 6d. **Rose Deep**—14/-, 13/10½, 7½d. **Russo-Asiatic**—6/3¼, 1½d., 2¼d., 6/-. **Selukwe Gold**—12/9, 6d., 7¼d., 8¼d., 10½d. **Springs**—52/6, *3/5¼, 2/9¼, 3/6. **Tanganyika**—18/6. **Union Corporation**—36/1¼, 5/10¼, 6/0¾, 1½d. **Van Ryn**—19/7¼, 4½d., *16/-, *18/6, 19/10½, 9d. **Van Ryn Deep**—71/3, 70/3¾, 2/6, 1/10¼, *70/-. **Village Deep**—13/4¼, 3d., 13/-. **West Springs**—26/-, 1¼d., 5/9, 10¼d., 6/-. **Zinc Corp.**—*18/3, *6d.
(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—57 5/16, ⅛, ⅜, ¼, 1/16, 3/16, ⅛. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—96⅜, 7, ⅛, 6⅞, ⅛, 7⅛. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—97⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **4 p.c. War Loan**—102⅛, ⅛, 1⅛, 2⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Funding Loan**—89⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9, ⅛. **Victory Bonds**—92⅜, 3, 2⅞, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3⅛. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—78⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **4½ p.c.**—98⅛, 8, 7⅛, 8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **India 7 p.c. Loan**—114, ⅛. **India 4½ p.c.**—88⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—106⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Stock**—100⅞, ⅛, ⅛. **South Africa 6 p.c.**—*105⅛, ⅛. **Japan 6 p.c. Sterling**—91⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—26/-, 3d., 9d., *6/-, 4½d., 6d. **African and Eastern**—29/1¼, 6d., 8/6, 9/3, 8/9. **Amalgamated Cotton**—8/2¼, *8/-, 7/11¼, 8/1¼. **Amalgamated Press**—43/9, 4/3, 3/9. **Anglo-Ceylon Rubber**—56/-, 7½d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—35/-. **Armstrong**—14/6, 7½d., 9d. **Associated Cement**—14/3, 4½d., 3d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—97/6, 8/1¼, 9d., 6/10½, 3d., 8/1¼, 6/10½. **Baldwins Ord.**—13/6¼, 4½d., 3¼d. **Barclays Bank "A"**—8, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛; **do. "B"**—54/4¼, 6d., 9d., 7½d. **Beecham Estates and Pills 8 p.c. Pref. (10/- paid)**—10/10¾, 9d., 9½d., 11/-, 10/9; **do. Debs. (£50 paid)**—54. **Bovril Def.**—39/9, 40/-, 3d., 39/7¼, 9d., 40/3. **Brazilian Traction**—57⅛. **British-American Tobacco**—106/3, 5/10¼, 9d., 6/-, 6d., 3d., 4½d. **British Oil and Cake**—19/9, 7½d., 20/-. **British Overseas Bank**—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Brunner Mond**—36/3, 5/10¼, 6/-, 1½d. **Bryant and May**—48/3, 8/-. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—87, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—74⅛, 5, ⅛, ⅛, 4⅛. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—80⅛, 80, ⅛, 79⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Calico Printers**—35/6, 10½d., 6/-. **Canadian Pacific (x.d.)**—*170⅛, 69⅛, ⅛, 70⅛, 70. **Central Argentine Cons.**—72⅛, 3, 2⅞, ⅛, ⅛, 3. **Coats**—63/3, 9d., 1/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—*21/-, 1½d., 6d., 1/-; **do. Part. Pref.**—23/3, 7½d. **Cory (Wm.)**—48/1¼, 6/10¼, 8/3. **Courtaulds**—59/7½, 3d., 6d., 4½d., 7½d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—1/6¼, 10½d., 8¼d., 6d., 8d., *4½d., 6¼d. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—6/6¼, 8¼d. **Cunard Ord.**—18/6, 3d.; **do. Debs.**—106. **Daily Mail Trust Debs.**—107⅛, ⅛, *6⅛, 7, 6⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, *5⅛, *6, ⅛. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—5⅛, ⅛. **Dorman Long**—12/9, 8¼d. **Dunlop Ord.**—7/3, 4d., 6d., 2¼d., 5¼d., *6d., 3d., 3¼d., 1½d.; **do. Debs.**—108⅛, 9⅛, 8⅛. **Dunlop Tire America Debs.**—103⅛, ⅛, 4⅛, ⅛. **Edison Swan**—4/10¼, 5/-. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/1¼, 4½d., 3d. **English Sewing Cotton**—52/10½. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—45/10¼, 9d., 7½d. **Forestal Land**—20/1¼, 4½d. **General Electric Ord.**—19/7½, 20/-, 19/9, *3d., 10½d., *7½d.; **do. Debs.**—104⅛. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—81⅛. **Great Western Rail.**—108⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛, *8, ⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—104, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Guinness Ord.**—413. **Harrod's Ord.**—*37/6, 8/3, 7/9, 8/4¼. **Highlands Rubber**—*25/7½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5⅛, ⅛. **Imperial Tobacco**—72/10¼, 3/-, *1½d., 2/9, 3/-, 7½d., 3/1¼, 2/-, 10½d., 6d. 3/3; **do. Canada**—24/3, 9d., 4½d., 6d., 7½d. **Jute Industries**—4/10¼. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/10¼, 1/1¼, 20/11¼, 10½d., 1/0¾, 1/-, 1½d.; **do. New**—3/-, 2/9, 9¼d., 10½d., 7½d., 8d., 9¼d., 8¼d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—21/-, ½d., 1½d., 20/10½; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—107⅛, ⅛. **Lipton Ord.**—28/10¼. **Lister Ord.**—27/-, 3d. **Lloyds Bank**—60/10½, 8¼d., 9d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—2/10, 7¼d., 10½d., 11d., 10¼d. **London, Midland, and Scottish Ord.**—98⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *8, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **London and North-Eastern Pref. Ord.**—84⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *4, *3⅛, 4⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—29⅛, ⅛, 30⅛, 29⅞, 30, 29⅛, *⅛, ⅛, *⅛, *29, ⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. 7 p.c. Pref.**—24/6, 10½d., 5/-, 4/9, *6d., 10½d. **Malayalam Rubber**—*29/7¼, 30/-, 1½d. **Marconi Ord.**—29/4¼, 30/-, 29/7¼, 6d.; **do. Debs.**—101, *99⅛, 101⅛, ⅛, 1; **do. Canada**—4/3. **Maynole Def.**—3/11¼, 10½d., 9¼d., 8¼d. **Metropolitan Rail.**—80⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Metropolitan District**—51⅛, 2⅛. **Midland Bank**—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Mond Nickel**—38/-. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£3⅛)**—9⅛; **do. (£4)**—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.**—21/10¼, 2/-, 1/9. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—14/9, 6d. **Nobel Indus.**—23/-, 2/10¼, *20/-; **do. Pref.**—21/-, *20/-, 1/-; **do. Deferred**—*6/9, 7/3. **Parent Def.**—31/10¼. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—28⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9, 8⅛. **Platt Bros. Ord.**—32/10¼, 3, 2/7¼. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—*100⅛, 99⅛, *100⅛, 99⅛, *100⅛, *⅛, ⅛, 99⅛. **Radio Corn. Com.**—18/1¼. **Radio Corp. Pref.**—18/9. **Rubber Trust**—24/10¼, 3d., 9d., 4½d., 10½d. **Selfridge Ord.**—29/-, 8/9; **do. Pref.**—25/-. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—86⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *6, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—42⅛, 3, 2⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. Ord. "A"**—38⅛, *⅛, ⅛; **do. Ord. "B"**—10⅛. **Sudan Plantations**—6⅛. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—63/1¼, 9d., 1½d. **Turkish Unified**—16, 15⅛, ⅛, 16⅛, ⅛, 15⅛. **Underground Elec.**—55/-, 1/3, 10½d., 3d. **Underground Income Bonds**—94⅛, 3, ⅛, 4⅛, ⅛. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—20/7¼, 6¼d., 10½d., 6¼d. **United Dairies**—33/3, 1½d., 10½d., 4½d., 7½d., *1½d. **United of Havana Rail.**—*85⅛, 6⅛, 5⅛. **United Tobacco**—69/-, 4½d., 9/-. **Vickers**—10/3, 2¼d., 5¼d., 3d. **Westminster Bank**—17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛. **White, Tomkins Ord.**—25/6, 4/10¼, 5/-, 4/10¼. **Whiteley (Wm.)**—*67/3, 8/-. **Workman Clark Debs.**—29⅛.
(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN HIGHER.

TIN—Market firmer, with a good demand, prices on balance being £4 per ton higher. Cash quoted £226 to £226 5/-, three months £225 15/- to £226, settlement price £226. Sales 900 tons; standard cash sold £225 to £226 to £225 17/6 to £226, three months £224 to £225 10/- to £226 to £225 15/-, finally at £226. COPPER opened fully steady, but eased with a good business in force; on balance cash and forward ruled £5 per ton down. Cash quoted £61 10/- to £61 12/6, three months £62 7/6 to £62 10/-, settlement price £61 10/-. Sales 1,100 tons; cash sold £61 17/6 to £61 12/6, three months £62 15/- to £62 10/-; electros £66 10/- to £67, B.S. £65 10/- to £66 15/-, S.S. £94, wire bars £67. LEAD in good demand, and prices tended in buyers' favour. Sales totalled 1,100 tons; good soft foreign pig June sold £32 12/6, July £32 5/- to £31 17/6, August £31 5/- to £31 2/6, September £30 17/6 to £30 12/6. English quoted £34. SPELTER rather easier, while in good demand. Sales 1,300 tons; June sold £32 5/- to £32 2/6, July £32 2/6, August £32, October £32 to £31 18/9 to £32 per ton. TIN-PLATES and QUICKSILVER unaltered.

Eight thousand delegates are attending the International Rotary Convention in Toronto.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

EDWARD AND JOHN BURKE.—The report for the year ended 30th April states that the profits, including interest on investments, rents, transfer fees, after making all necessary provisions, etc., were £126,444 16/4, which, together with the balance of £14,970 14/10 brought forward from last accounts, amount to £141,415 11/2, out of which there have been paid or provided for—Income and corporation profits tax and remuneration of managing director, directors and trustees; one year's interest on 6 per cent. Debenture stock to 30th April, less income tax; interim dividend for the half-year to 31st October, 1923, on the Preference shares at 6 p.c. and on Ord. shares at 6 p.c. per annum (less income tax), £68,990 8/10, leaving a balance of £72,425 2/4, which the directors propose to apportion as follows:—To Preference share dividend of the half-year, £6,750; to ordinary dividend at 10 per cent. per annum less income tax, £11,250; to transfer to general reserve, £35,000, and to be carried forward to next account £19,425 2/4. The directors propose to transfer out of the profits of the year the sum of £35,000 to general reserve, making the total of this reserve £200,000. While full provision has been made for taxation, the company's position in regard to tax liabilities is at present somewhat complicated by reason of the widespread character of its organisation. This matter is engaging the most careful attention of the directors. The directors who retire by rotation are Sir George F. Brooke, Bart., and Capt. W. L. A. Goulding, and they being eligible offer themselves for re-election. It is proposed that the dividend warrants be issued to shareholders on the 2nd July, 1924.

AUSTRALIAN PASTORAL.—Directors have declared an interim dividend of 3 per cent., free of tax, on Consolidated Ord. stock for year to June 30, 1924, payable July 1.

BARTHOLOMAY BREWING CO. (OF ROCHESTER).—Report for 1923 states artificial ice and ice cream plants have again shown very satisfactory results. Milk plants installed about eighteen months ago is now on an established profit-earning basis. Inasmuch as 59 identical bills are at present before the House Judiciary Committee, dealing with a modification of the Volstead Act, to permit the brewing of beer and light wines of a low alcoholic content, it is reasonable to anticipate the early resumption of the brewing and sale of beer.

BODEGA CO.—Half-year's dividend to the 30th inst. on the 5 per cent. Preference Shares, less tax.

BURNS, PHILP AND CO.—Dividend of 1/- per share, plus a bonus of 1/- per share.

CONSETT IRON.—Dividend of 7½ per cent. for year.

DISTILLERS CO.—Final dividend on Ordinary Shares of 6 per cent., free of income tax, payable 1st August next, which, with interim dividend of 4 per cent. already paid, makes dividend for year 10 per cent.; £211,420 to reserve fund and £119,530 carried forward to next year.

DENNISTOWN RUBBER.—Dividend of 4 per cent., less tax.

DOMINION OF CANADA INVESTMENT AND DEBENTURE.—Final dividend of 4½ per cent., less tax.

DOOARS TEA.—Dividend of 50 per cent. on Ordinary for year.

GEORGE WHITECHURCH.—To pay two years arrears of dividend owing on the Pref. shares, and arrangements have been made for this dividend, less tax, to be paid on or about July 1 next. It is hoped that the company will be in a position to pay further arrears of dividend towards the end of the present year.

G. B. KENT AND SONS.—Usual dividend at rate of 5¼ per cent. per annum on Cum.-Part.-Pref. shares for six months.

KAMINISTIQUIA POWER.—Dividend of $2 per share on Common shares for quarter ended 31st.

LONDON SHOE.—Dividend on Ord. of 2/- per share, free of tax.

NATIONAL BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.—Dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum for the half-year ended 31st March last, and a bonus of 2 per cent., both free of tax.

ORIENTAL TELEPHONE AND ELECTRIC.—Final dividend of 3½ per cent., less tax, on old Pref. shares; final dividend of 6 per cent., free of tax, on old Ord. shares; dividend at rate of 7 per cent. per annum, less tax, on new Pref. shares, and a dividend at rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on new Ord. shares.

ROBERT LOMAS PROPRIETORS.—Quarterly dividend on 8 per cent. Cum.-Pref. shares; half-yearly interest on 6½ per cent. Five Year Registered Notes, and final dividend of 1d. per share, less tax, on Ord. shares.

SANSINENA FROZEN MEAT CO.—Dividend of 6 per cent. on Pref.; dividend of $6 (gold) per share on Ord.

SEA INSURANCE CO.—Interim dividend of 1/3 per share, subject to income tax, payable on or after the 1st July to all shareholders registered on the 17th June.

SELINCOURT AND SONS.—Interim dividend at rate of 7½ per cent. per annum.

SIEMENS BROS.—Interim dividend of 6d. per share.

SINGLO TEA.—Dividend of 40 per cent. on Ordinary for year.

ST. JOHN DEL REY MINING.—Dividend of 1/3, and bonus of 1/-.

SUNGEI KRIAN RUBBER.—Dividend of 10 per cent.

SOUTH AFRICAN BREWERIES.—Final dividend of 1/6 per share on the Ordinary, free of tax.

TAMPLIN AND SONS BREWERY, BRIGHTON.—Dividend of 1/-, plus bonus of 1/-, making 3/- for the year.

"KAFFIR" DIVIDENDS.

The final batches of "Kaffir" dividends for the half-year ending June 30 make a very respectable showing, as set forth in the annexed table:—

	June, 1924.	June, 1923.	Dec., 1923.
City Deep	5/-	4/-	5/-
Con. Main Reef	1/3	Nil	1 3
Crown Mines (10/-)	4/-	2 9	4/-
Durban Deep	1/-	Nil	1/-
Geldenhuis Deep	1/-	Nil	1/-
Modder B (5/-)	3/-	2 6	3/-
Modders (10/-)	5/-	5/-	5/-
Nourse	9	9	1/-
Rose Deep	2/3	1 3	2/3
Village Deep	1/-	1/-	1/-
Brakpan	4/-	4/-	4/6
Springs	3/-	2/6	3/6
Rand Mines (5/-)	3/-	3/-	—
Government Areas	6/6	6/-	6/-
Langlaagte Estate	1/6	*2/-	1/6
Van Ryn Deep	6/-	5/-	5/6
Witwaters and Knights	2/6	3/-	2/6

*Before absorption of Consolidated Langlaagte

The 6/6 declared by the Government Areas for the half-year just ending is a record in the history of the company.

The Johannesburg Consolidated Investment Company, the £1 shares of which are usually known as "Johnnies," declares the increased amount of 3/- per share, free of tax, for the whole year ending 30th June. For 1922-23 2/6, and for 1921-22 only 1/6 was paid (in both cases also free of tax). The 1921-22 revenue was affected by the white miners' strike in the spring of 1922. The company is placing £150,000 to reserve, which will raise that fund to £400,000. It will carry forward about £175,000, against £172,250 brought in.

IRISH FAIRS.

BANAGHER.—There was a big fair of cattle and sheep in Banagher. Buyers were numerous, and demand very brisk, especially for forward stores. Prices all round were from 25/- to 35/- per head better than those of the May fair. Fat cattle fetched as high as £27 per head for a few fancy beasts. Beef was sold at from 50/- to 55/- per cwt. (live weight). Yearlings, 1st class, from £9 to £10; 2nd class from £7 10/- to £8 10/-; 1½-year-olds, 1st class, £11 to £12; 2nd class, £10 to £11; 2-year-olds, 1st class, from £4 to £16; 2nd class, from £13 to £14; 2½-year-olds, 1st class, from £17 to £19; 2nd class, from £15 to £16. Springers scarce and dear, from £25 to £29, 1st class; 2nd class, £21 to £25; calved cows, 1st class, £20 to £22; 2nd class, £17 to £19; calves (sucking), from £3 to £4. Fat sheep averaged about £5 and lambs £3. Store sheep from £4 to £4 10/-. Pigs realised 62/- per cwt. at Saturday's fair, and coarser sorts 60/- to 61/- per cwt.; bonhams from 20/- to 25/-. There was an average supply of pigs.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

LEEDS, Tuesday.—Beasts, numbering 415, fetched from 1/1 for prime heifers and bullocks down to 9d. for fat cows and bulls. Sheep numbered 1,777, and made from 1/5½ for choice small varieties to 1/- for ewes. Lambs from 1/10.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Market showed decreased number of cattle on offer. Trade was brisk. Welsh lambs, operate about 1d., made 1/9, a like price being asked for South country animals. Small sheep made 1/5 to 1/7 and ewes about 11d. Norfolk cattle fetched 1/1 and Cheshire and Welsh 1/-. There were 536 beasts and 5,920 sheep.

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Small supply of pigs, with fairly good demand, and values steady for bacons and smalls, but sows and heavy stuff dull. Sizeable bacons 15/- per score dead weight, cutters 14/- to 15/-, and sows 9/-.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—There is rather a weaker undertone prevailing for general samples of grain coming in; still, for prime feeding oats there is little change to quote from late rates. Practically no Irish wheat obtainable, and prices nominal. White oats from 19/- to 21/-, and blacks 14/9 to 15/9 and 16/-, according to character. A very poor attendance of the trade on this Exchange.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Tuesday. WHEAT—Cargoes in quiet demand, but prices remained fully steady: No. 1 Northern Manitoba June sellers 50/-, No. 2 ditto 49/3; white Pacific, June-July, 49/9; Australian, afloat, 49/-; Rosafe, 63½lbs., June-July, 46/9; Barusso ditto, June, 45/9; choice white Karachi, June-July, 48/-; red ditto, 47/-. Parcels opened firm, but quieter since; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, July-August, sold 48/6; Australian, June, sellers 48/9; choice white Karachi, June-July, 47/9; Rosafe, 63½lbs., June, 46/3; Barusso ditto sold at 45/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes held for 6d. per qr. advance, but buyers were slow to respond. Plate steamers afloat sellers 32/3, June-July and July-August 31/9, August-September 32/10½, September-October 33/-; Dan.-Gal.-Foxonian, afloat, 33/-; Odessa, afloat, 33/-. Parcels active and firmer; Plate, May-June and June-July sold 30/9, July-August 31/6, August-September 31/9, September-October 32/-, October-November 32/3, November-December 32/4½ per 480lbs. BARLEY steady, but prices nominally unaltered in absence of demand. OATS steady but quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat quoted 19/10½, May-June 19/6, June-July 19/4½; No. 2 Canadian Western June 23/6; No. 2 feed ditto 21/6 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—The further smart advance in America and the Argentine had already been partly taken into account here, but forward deliveries of WHEAT showed a further fair improvement at the start of operations. Then slight fluctuations took place, but prices afterwards gave way considerably under a natural reaction, but partially recovered on more encouraging late afternoon cables, finishing at a fair loss on the day. C.i.f. parcels of No. 1 Manitoba July-August sold at 48/4½ to 48/-, October-November 47/1½, Rosario-Santa Fe June 46/6, Baril shipping or shipped 45/7½, June-July 45/6 to Liverpool, and Rosario-Santa Fe July 46/6 to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels of MAIZE River Plate afloat sold 30/9, May-June 30/9 to 30/-, July-August 31/3 to 31/6, August-September 32/-, October-November 32/6 per quarter. Wheat on the spot was firm at 1d. to 5d. per cental over Friday's, the latter being for River Plate, but business was checked thereby. Maize spot parcels quiet at about Friday's price of 8/- for American mixed, but River Plate 2d. lower at 7/10 to 7/10½ per cental. FLOUR firm and fairly active at the recent advance. Graded wheat futures opened ⅛d. to ⅜d. per cental dearer, then gradually receded, with slight interruptions, until 1d. to 1½d. under last night had been registered, partially recovered, and closed only ⅛d. to ⅜d. under yesterday's price. Maize options nominally ⅛d. dearer.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—Irish BACON is scarce and firm at late rates, while Danish meets a continued fair demand at higher prices, holders now asking 108/- to 112/- per cwt. Canadian Wiltshires firm, but quiet and unaltered. Holders of American bacon here continue steady, and late prices repeated for all selections, bellies exceptionally being the turn dearer at 66/- to 70/- per cwt., and a little more inquiry is reported in some quarters; Wiltshires and Cumberlands moving to a moderate extent. HAMS more firmly held and in improved request, stimulated by the finer weather, long cut being again dearer at 82/- to 87/-, and short cut 86/- to 92/- per cwt. Shoulders steadily held at late prices for all descriptions. LARD on the spot 6d. per cwt. dearer in sympathy with Chicago, but buyers still operate cautiously; prime steam held at 63/- to 63/6 and American refined 63/3 to 65/3 per cwt. CHEESE firm for Canadian, and now quoted 92/- to 94/- per cwt. for both white and coloured, with New Zealand 96/- to 98/- per cwt. BUTTER in fair request at higher prices; Danish quoted 188/- to 190/-, New Zealand 179/- to 181/-, Australian 170/- to 172/-, and Irish creameries 178/- to 182/- per cwt. EGGS quietly steady at 13/3 to 13/9 for Irish hen and 13/- to 13/3 per 120 duck.

REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—The advance in Chicago had been about discounted here, and prices in some cases were 3d. lower. October exceptionally showing 6d. advance on last night's trading. July sold 64/-, September 65/6, October 66/3 to 66/6 per cwt. With afternoon cables unaltered, no further change took place here, the market closing 3d. lower to 6d. higher on the day: July sold 63/9 to 64/-, September 65/6, October 66/3 to 66/6, June quoted 63/6 to 63/9, August 64/6 to 65/-, November 66/9 to 67/- per cwt. Weekly settlement prices—June 63/9, July 64/-, August 64/9, September 65/6, October 66/6, November 67/- per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BUTTER—The market for butter ruled firm, with Danish finest quoted 186/- to 188/-, Swedish 184/- to 186/-, Finnish 180/- to 182/-, and Irish creameries 178/- to 180/-. The Copenhagen official butter quotation came 7 kroner higher. BACON—With a better demand, prices were firmer. Danish 2/- to 4/- and Swedish and Dutch 2/- per cwt. LARD also showed an upward tendency; English refined quoted 68/6 per cwt. CHEESE in sellers' favour. EGGS were dearer, with Irish quoted 12/9 to 13/6, Russian 8/9 to 9/3, and Danish nominal.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—Fruit stocks here have been greatly reduced, and prices this week show a dearer trend generally. Irish strawberries 3/6 to 4/6 and 5/9 per lb., French 1/6 to 1/9 per lb.; cherries 15/- to 16/6 per half-bushel, gooseberries 4/- to 5/6 per tray, and 5/9 to 6/- per float, average, say, 5d. to 6d. per lb.; peaches 7/6 per dozen. Apples, oranges, etc., about previous average. Vegetables fairly plentiful. Cabbage shows more bulk in quality and condition. Broccoli scarce and dear, viz., 8/-, 9/- to 12/- per dozen; French peas in pod 6d. per lb. Imported potatoes 21/- to 24/- per case, new Co. Dublin ditto 3d. to 4d. and 5d. per lb., French carrots 7d. per bunch, others 3/- to 4/- per dozen bunches; cucumbers 6/- to 11/- per dozen, tomatoes 1/1 to 1/2 and 1/3 per lb.; rhubarb 2/6 to 3/6 and 5/6 per dozen bundles; York cabbage 30/- to 65/- and 70/-, extras up to 96/- per load, ditto in bags 3/6 to 4/6; kidney beans 8d. to 1/-; lettuce a glut, 2d. to 6d., 8d. and 1/- per dozen; spinach 2/4 per bag, white turnips 1/- to 1/6 per bundle, scallions 7d. to 1/- ditto, radishes 2d. to 3d. and 6d. per dozen bunches, onions 10/- and 11/- per bag, and 10/- to 16/- per case.

DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—The season for old potatoes is fizzling out, but owing to scarcity of reliable qualities values have been raised 6d. per cwt., viz., Skerries 15/-, and whites 14/- per cwt. Some good, but unpopular, varieties can be purchased 1/- or 1/6 per cwt. less. Skerries appear scarce and stiffly quoted for. New Co. Dublin potatoes on Vegetable Market realised 3d. to 4d. per lb., and a few selected lots up to 5d.; Channel Island potatoes 21/- to 22/- and 24/- per case.

DUBLIN POULTRY AND GAME, Tuesday.—Chickens and fowl coming in more plentifully, and are lower in price. Ducklings much as previously quoted. Trade fairly steady at currencies. Chickens 1/8 to 1/10 per lb. dead, prime heavy fat hens 2/6 to 3/-, seconds 2/-, old fowl 1/- to 1/6 each; prime fat ducklings 4/6 to 5/6, seconds 3/6 to 4/-, stores 2/- to 3/-, old ducks 9d. to 1/-. Rabbits 8d. to 10d. each. Only fresh consignments readily cleared.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG, Tuesday.—The general position of this market in both sections is firm. With regard to butter, supplies of creams are tolerably liberal, but manufacturers are very extreme in their pretensions, in reflex of English movement; however, with regard to the latter, even experts are at some disadvantage in gauging the future position. There is no doubt about the quantity of Colonial butter in cold storage in England, and the crux in matters rather depends on this. The quantity of Colonial butter on passage, however, is reported lighter than for the same period last year. With regard to Danish butter, it is assumed that prices have touched their lowest level of the season. Altogether trade is in a very cautious and nervy state, and supplies more than cover immediate requirements. For prime standard creams to-day's rates are 1/7 per lb., and 1/7½ for 28lb. pyramid packages. Medium creams are 1/6 to 1/6½, and secondary in proportion, according to character. The class of factories on this market average 1/3 to 1/4 per lb., but a superior article would make more. Farmers' butter slightly increased in supply, but quality indifferent. Ordinary descriptions of lumps make 1/- to 1/3, ecole 1/3½ to 1/4½, and separators around 1/4½ to 1/5½ per lb. For the moment the egg market is superficially steady, but there is an undercurrent of weakness in certain directions. Country dealers' pretensions seem to be still buoyed by the inquiry from the other side of the water. Best quality case hen eggs rate from 12/9 to 13/9 per 120, and extra selected heavily picked qualities, fresh, around 15/- to 15/6 per 120. Dublin seconds are from 11/6 to 12/-, country smalls and ordinary from 10/3 to 11/- per 120. We are now in the danger period of the season for duck eggs, and, while supplies are on the increase, demand is very cautious and of a hesitating nature. Prices for good, clean average arrivals run from 12/6 to 13/9 per 120.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—Trade continues active at steadily increasing values. Choicest salted 170/- upwards per cwt., creameries 172/-, farmers' fresh parcels 147/-.

IRISH BUTTER TRADE ASSOCIATION.—Merchants buying farmers' unsalted lumps unfinished 1/4 to 1/4½ per lb., delivered Cork, according to quality. Creamery finished for shipment 1/5½ to 1/6 per lb.

DUBLIN FISH, Tuesday.—Salmon plentiful, viz., 50 boxes, etc., and cheaper. No Howth herrings in. Of white fish there were fair country arrivals, and just 410 boxes from four steam trawls, mostly rough stuff and small hake, etc. 15 chests lobsters. Trade fair all round. Salmon 1/6 to 1/9 and 1/10 soft, etc., 1/-; best lobsters 17/6 to 25/- per 13, others 5/- to 10/-, 12/6 and 15/- per lot; turbot 1/- to 20/- and 24/-, brill 6d. to 5/- each; best soles 25/- to 35/- and 40/- per 9 pairs, mediums 12/6 to 20/-, slips, etc., 5/- 7/6 to 10/-; large plaice 6/- to 8/- per 4, others 5/- to 8/- per 6 and 8; half-boxes plaice 45/-, 95/- to 100/-; hake 35/- to 75/-, codfish 40/- to 60/-, haddocks 30/- to 45/- and 50/-, pollock 20/- to 50/-, conger eels 15/- to 25/-, white soles 30/- to 60/-, whiting 12/- to 40/- and 55/-, ling 20/- to 27/- and 30/-, ray 15/- to 22/- and 25/-, gurnard 5/6 to 9/-, and 10/-. A few boxes of mackerel figured around 17/6.

GRIMSBY FISH, Tuesday.—Poor supply. Demand fair. Plaice 11/-, halibut 9/- to 12/-, lemon soles 12/-, cod 5/- to 7/-, skate 6/- to 8/-, small haddocks 3/9, kit 6/-, gibbed 7/6, dabs 9/- to 10/-, codlings 5/6 per stone; soles 2/-, turbot 11d., brill 1/1 per lb.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT, Tuesday.—Beef slow, favouring buyers. Home killed, best sides 10½d. to 11d., seconds 10d. to 10½d. Mutton easier: best hoggs 1/3, lambs 1/3 to 1/7, calves 5d. to 10d. Chilled beef—Hind-quarters 5½d. to 6d., fore-quarters 2¾d. to 3d. Imported mutton in good demand; ewes 5½d. to 6d., wethers 6½d. to 7½d., lambs 9½d. to 11½d.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—TEA—At public sales 27,000 packages Ceylon were brought forward and passed off with a good demand at steady rates. Pekoe sold 1/- to 1/10½, broken ditto 1/4½ to 1/11, orange Pekoe 1/5½ to 1/11, broken ditto 1/6½ to 2/6½ per lb. in bond. COCOA—Liberal supplies in auction met with slow support and prices tended in buyers' favour. Trinidad middling sold 55/-, Grenada common to fine 40/- to 46/-, Ceylon nibs 50/- per cwt. COFFEE—Spot market steady but generally quiet. Futures steadier; July quoted 61/8 and September 80/- per cwt. RICE—Market continues in quiet tone at about late rates; fine stars spot London 15/3, about 14/6, Madagascar butter beans spot 28/- to 31/-, as to quality. Japanese peas June-July sellers 15/9, September-October 20/5 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper dull of sale; black Singapore L.S. June-August quoted 4½d., Lampong August-October 4½d., Muntok May-July 7½d., August-October 7½d. Cloves quietly steady. Zanzibar spot 11½d. per lb. TAPIOCA firm forward; Singapore flake May-June to Havre 29/-, June-August 28/6. Penang seed June-July to London quoted 21/-. Sago flour April-May and May-June quoted 14/9 per cwt. Desiccated coconut steady, quiet. Ginger slow at recent rates.

SUGAR—Cuban receipts for past week totalled 33,729 tons, against 30,894 same time last year; exports 47,447 tons, against 66,129 tons; stocks 886,008 tons, against 625,997 tons; centrals at work 10, against 9. The market for refined goods displayed a very steady tone, and prices were advanced 6d. per cwt. for British makes, both spot and forward, while a fair demand prevailed. Tate's and Lyle's cubes quoted 41/- to 42/-, granulated 38/1½ to 38/7½, stoved 39/1½, yellow crystals 35/7½, granulated forward 38/-. Of imported, white Java spot quoted 34/6 to 34/9, May-June steamers 21/9, June-July 21/3, c.i.f. London; Czecho granulated spot 35/6 to 35/9, June 24/-, July 24/-, November-December 30/6, f.o.b. Hamburg; American granulated spot 36/6, June-July 24/9, c.i.f. U.K. Terminal market firmer, but somewhat irregular; white August sold 22/6 to 22/4½, December 20/- per cwt. JUTE—Market firmer on stimulating cable advices from Calcutta, and a fair demand was in evidence; first grade to Continent May-June buyers £27 15/-, June-July £27 15/-, August sold £28 5/-, August-September £27 10/-, September-October £27, lightning grades June-July and August-September sellers £26 10/- per ton. Hessians and twills unaltered. HEMP—Manila firm and sellers reserved; J grade May-July quoted £40 10/-, K £36, L £35, M £30 10/- per ton. SHELLAC quiet and tendency easier; T.N. spot 270/- to 275/-, August sellers 260/-, October 260/- per cwt. COPRA quiet and tendency in favour of buyers; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam March-May sellers £28 10/-, April-June sold £28, May-July £27 15/- sellers, June-August £27 12/6, Dutch East Indies April-June £27 15/-, Ceylon June-July £29 2/6, Java ditto £28. PALM KERNELS easier. To Liverpool April-June sellers £20 2/6, May-July £19 12/6, June-August £19 10/- per ton. RUBBER—Market fully steady, with a moderate trade passing. Plantation standard crepe and smoked sheet, also June, sold at 10½d. to 10⅝d., July sold 10½d., July-September 10⅝d. to 10¾d., October-December 10¾d., January-March sellers 11⅛d. per lb. Wide sorts quietly steady.

OILS—Linseed quietly steady; spot 40/-, June sold 39/6 to 39/4½, July-August 38/9, September-December 37/6. Rape—Crude spot 45/-, refined 48/-. Cotton—Crude Egyptian spot 39/-, Bombay 37/-, common edible 46/-. Chinawood—Hankow July-August 68/-. Coconut, Soya, and groundnut unaltered. Turpentine dull; American spot 68/6, July-December 57/3 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed opened steady, but quieter since; Calcutta to London June sold £19 18/9, ditto Hull £20, Plate June to Hull sold £18 2/6, which represents the value for most positions. Rapeseed steady but quiet; Toria June-July quoted £17 15/-, real bold Ferozepore £17 10/-, Jamba £14 5/-. Cottonseed dull; Egyptian black to Hull June sellers £12 15/-, white £11 12/6, Bombay June-July £10 2/6 per ton. Castorseed, gingelly, and groundnut unaltered.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—Improved market on strong American advices. Good demand for ready sugars, and quotations dearer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW, Smithfield, Tuesday.—Market in both sections of very small dimensions. Straw went off quietly at a dearer turn in values, but hay continues to experience a slow trade. Choice strong Co. Dublin hay conspicuously scarce, and several sellers more extreme in their prices. Choicest 1st and 2nd crop hay 7/9 to 8/-, and occasionally 8/3 per cwt.; medium strong 6/6 to 7/6; choice old meadow 5/9 to 6/6, other sorts 4/6 to 5/3; wheaten straw 4/6 to 5/- per cwt.; oaten 3/9 to 4/6, perhaps a little more in dry and fancy cases.

LONDON HAY AND STRAW, Tuesday.—Market steady; supplies adequate for requirements. Best meadow hay £5 5/- to £5 15/-, medium £4 5/- to £4 15/-, inferior £3 5/- to £3 15/-; best clover £5 15/- to £6 5/-, best mixtures and sainfoin £5 10/- to £6; best trussed wheaten straw 75/- to 85/-, barley and oaten ditto 80/- to 90/- per ton delivered.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Tuesday.—Reports from cloth sellers have a slightly more encouraging tone, though business actually brought to book is negligible. India outlets in evidence, particularly Bombay and Calcutta, with moderate number of varied offers, while China and smaller Far Eastern markets hold out promise of fair trade pending. Yarn quotations steady, especially on Egyptian side, but turnover slow all round.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American fluctuations reduced 6 points. Brazilian quotations reduced 6 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian quiet. June, 17.03d.; July, 16.71d.; Aug., 16.23d.; Sept., 15.75d.; Oct., 15.18d.; Nov., 14.93d. Sales, 4,000; imports, 5,524 bales. Market quiet.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Tuesday.

Homeward markets disclosed no new feature, chartering operations being on a very moderate scale, and, with tonnage supplies ample for present requirements, there appears little prospect of any improvement in rates for the present. The better tone recently prevailing in the grain markets, due to adverse crop prospects in some exporting countries, has resulted in a slightly better inquiry for tonnage, especially in backward positions, and which imparted a steady tone. Cuba sugar lacks support and rates tend in shippers' favour, 21/6 being the nearest indicated for handy size vessels to usual U.K.-Continental ports. Canadian deals are represented by 70/- per standard to West coast U.K., while Gulf pitchpine moves off quietly at recent rates. Outward coal is on a fair scale, but, except for South America, rates are on the easy side on liberal tonnage offers. Fixtures—Steamer, 6,000 tons, 10 p.c., Black Sea to Continent, July, 12/6, option U.K. 13/-. Mediterranean 11/- one port, 11/6 two ports of discharge, heavy grain, steamer, 5,000 tons maximum, Newport to Puerto Belgrano, early July, 13/9, coal; Lundy Light, 5,400 tons, 10 p.c., Santa Fe to U.K.-Continent, 1st-20th July, 27/6, heavy grain; Snowden, 7,000 tons, Karachi to Mediterranean/U.K./Continent, July, 21/6, scale basis; Sweethorpe, 4,200 tons maximum, Concepcion to U.K.-Continent, July 10th-August 25/-, heavy grain; Ocean Monarch, 6,000 tons, 10 p.c., San Lorenzo to Rotterdam, prompt, 3,500 tons heavy grain at 22/6 and 1,500 tons linseed at 23/3; steamer, 4,600 tons, 10 p.c., Black Sea to Continent, July, 12/6, option U.K. 13/-, heavy grain; steamer, 4,400 tons, Wales to Villa Constitucion, June 25th, 13/-, coal; Rosario 13/6.

THE MONEY MARKET.

PLETHORA OF LOANS.

FRENCH FRANCS REACT.

Conditions were not materially altered in Lombard street, although money appeared to be a little more usable during the early hours. Later on, however, supplies again became abundant, with short loans freely offered at 1½ p.c., with 2 p.c. still charged for renewals. Weekly fixtures were 2¼ p.c., and new seven-day loans were done at 2¼ p.c. There was a good demand for loans into July at 2¾ p.c., and most lenders held out for 3 p.c. In the discount market rates were practically unchanged, but a steadier tone was noticeable, fine three months' bills being generally 2 11/16 p.c., and the new Treasuries 2 11/16-2⅝ p.c. July-August bills were still 2⅝ p.c., with very few buyers.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 5, 1923, 4%.

60 days (fine)	2⅝	2 11/16%		
3 months	2 11/16	3 %	Trade	4	4½%
4 months	3	3⅛%		4½	4¾%
6 months	3¼	3⅜%		4½	5 %
Loans to brokers day-to-day				2	1 %
for a week					2½%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					2 %
Discount houses, at call					2 %
at notice					2¼%

Gold rose 1d. to 95s. 6d. per oz. Bar silver was unchanged at 34⅞d. per oz. for spot and 34⅜d. for forward delivery.

The tendency of the foreign exchanges was not so firm, French francs reacting to 80.20-80.30, with Belgian also weaker at 91⅛-91⅞ after 92⅛. Sterling, on the other hand, opened rather better at 4.32½ dollars, but slipped back to 4.32-4.32¼, while Italian lire recovered to 99 7/16-99 11/16, Dutch florins being also stronger at 11.54½-11.55. Spanish pesetas weakened to 32.17-32.20, and Norwegian and Danish kroner were also on the easy side. Austrian crowns were steady at 304,000-310,000, with Poland 22.30-22.50 zloty, and Rumania 980-1,000 lei. Among South American exchanges Buenos Ayres were not quite good at 41 1/16-41⅛, Rio being steady at 5 13/16-5 11/16, and Monte Video weaker at 43. Rupees were the turn harder at 1s. 5 11/32d.-1s. 5 13/32d., and Japanese yen improved to 1s. 10 15/16d.-1s. 10⅞d. The following are closing quotations:—

—	June 17.		June 16.		Mint Par
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½
Amsterdam	11.54½	11.55	11.56½	11.57	12.10
B. Ayres	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	47.58
Barcelona	32.13	32.16	32.08	32.11	25.22
Berlin	18	billions	18	billions	20.40
Bombay	1/5 11/32	1/5 13/32	1/5	1/5 1/16	2/0
Brussels	91⅝	91⅞	89½	89¾	25.22½
Calcutta	1/5 11/32	1/5 13/32	1/5	1/5 1/16	2/0
Christiania	32.00	32.05	31.95	32.00	18.15
Copenhagen	25.59	25.62	25.56	25.58	18.15
Czecho-Slov	146¾	147¼	147	147½	—
Finland	172	173	172	172½	25.22½
Greece	245	250	245	250	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅝	2/5⅛	2/4⅝	2/5⅛	—
Hungary	375,000		375,000		—
Italy	99½	99¾	100⅜	100½	25.22½
Lisbon	1 7/32	1 9/32	1 7/32	1 9/32	53⅛d.
Madrid	32.17	32.20	32.05	32.07	25.22½
Mexico	2/5		2/5		24½d.
Montreal	4.39½	4.40	4.39½	4.40	4.86
Montevideo	42¾	48¼	43	43½	51d.
New York	4.32	4.32⅛	4.32⅛	4.32⅜	4.86
Paris	78.00	80.70	77.50	79.50	25.22
Poland	22.30	22.50	22.37	22.47	25.22½*
Rio de Jan.	5 13/16	5 21/32	5 13/16	5 21/32	16d.
Roumania	980	995	980	1,000	—
Shanghai	3/3¾	3/4¼	3/3¾	3/4¼	—
Singapore	2/3 13/16		2/3 13/16		2/4 1/16
Stockholm	16.26	16.28	16.25	16.27	18.15
Switzerland	24.45	24.46	24.45	24.47	25.22
Valparaiso	39.90		39.90		13.33
Vienna	307,000		207,500		—
Yokohama	1/10 15/16	1/10¾	1/10⅝	1/10¾	—

* Zloty to the £.

INDUSTRIALS QUIET.

RESTRICTED TRADING.

With trading very much restricted, and in the absence of any special developments dealers in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday reported a continuance of the quiet conditions ruling on Monday. Textiles left off practically unaltered. In the Electrical section Siemens Bros. strengthened on the announcement of an interim dividend of 6d. per share, less tax. Cables had a steadier appearance, Easterns and the Extensions recovering on the report. Shipping issues scarcely moved. In Coal Shares, Wm. Corys hardened, and, except for Gas Light and Coke, Gas Stocks kept up. Leading Newspaper Shares showed a slightly easier tendency. Changes in Caterers and Foodstuffs revealed little of interest. Among Land Shares, Sudan Plantations received support on favourable rumours concerning the dam.

Some good support was forthcoming for Imperial Tobaccos, as a result of which they closed 6d. better as 73s. 3d., while B.A.T.'s strengthened to 106s. 3d. A. Bakers shed 3d. to 29s. In Breweries, Guinness Pref. rose 2 to 119½; Watney Def. fell 1 to 206½. Bovril, among Foodstuffs, continued in request, and improved to 40s. 3d. Cross and Blackwells remained at 1s. 7½d., though the First and Second Prefs. continued on offer, and weakened to 1s. and 4s. respectively. Dunlops eased to 7s. 3d., and the "A" Prefs. to 20s. 9d. African and Easterns slipped back to 28s. 6d., at which they showed a loss of 3d. Armstrong Whitworth continued in request, and improved to 14s. 9d. Ebbw Vale Prefs. were also wanted, and stiffened to 15s. 6d. Vickers rose to 10s. 6d. Tata Debs. rose ½ to 85. On the other hand, Pease and Partners eased to 21s. 9d., and Guest Keens receded to 38s., or 6d. lower on balance, despite the satisfactory report. Anglo-South Americans exhibited firmness in the Bank section; New South Wales fell ½ to 39 x.d. With the exception of Canadians, which shed 3d. to 4s. 3d., the Marconi group closed unchanged at previous levels. In recent issues, Buchan Debs. ruled firm, while the Prefs. rose to 1s. prem. Vickers Debs., now fully paid, improved to 98½.

THE QUEEN'S THEATRE.

In the report of the application made by Mr. V. Rice in the Chancery Division on Monday on behalf of the receiver, Mr. Harold Pim, for an order giving him leave to close down the Queen's Theatre until such time as it might be considered advisable to re-open, the name of Mr. Norris Goddard (Messrs. Norris Goddard and Davidson) should have been given as the solicitor instructing Mr. Rice in the case. The case was allowed to stand over.

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Situate on the Dublin road, in the premier position in the Town, opposite the Courthouse, Town Hall, etc., with a frontage of about 95 feet, and a corresponding width at rear.

HELD FOR EVER, SUBJECT TO THE ANNUAL RENT OF £30.

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, on FRIDAY, 27th JUNE, 1924, at 1.30 precisely (if not previously disposed of privately), per instructions of Messrs. Fagan Bros., who intend to concentrate attention on their several city houses.

The Premises, which are admirably planned and adequately appointed for the retail spirit, wine, beer and grocery business, comprise spacious spirit bar, with porch entrance, and convenient entrance from rear; select wine room, billiard room, ample storage accommodation, yard, dairy, stabling and forage store. The commodious Dwelling, which has separate hall entrance, contains drawingroom, diningroom, conservatory, six family bedrooms, two apartments for staff, kitchen, with American range, etc., all being in excellent condition. An inspection of the Property and the trading particulars is the best means of gauging its merits.

Important features are the extensive and select class of trading and the economy with which it may be conducted.

Particulars of Trading and Orders to View the Premises may be obtained from the AUCTIONEER.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. JAMES O'CONNOR and CO., Solicitors, 71 Dame street.

ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER,
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

ON VIEW THIS DAY. SALE TO-MORROW (THURSDAY).

JAMES HILL AND SON, SECOND AUCTION ROOMS,
No. 9 BACHELOR'S WALK.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF
SUPERIOR AND USEFUL FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Comprising principally—Several Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Mirror-back Sideboards, Cabinets and Chiffoniers, Mahogany Ebonised China Cabinet, Louis-type ditto, 6' 6" Mahogany 3-Door Bookcase and Cabinet, one 4ft. ditto; Antique Mahogany Corner Bookcase, several Mahogany and Walnut-frame Drawingroom and Diningroom Suites of 7 and 9 pieces; Spring and Hair-stuffed, and upholstered in tapestry, saddlebags, and velvet, hair and leather cloth coverings; Drawingroom and Dining Tables and Chairs; Sets of Mahogany Dining Chairs, Oak Adjustable-back Lounge and Easy Chairs, Chesterfield Settees, Brass Rail and Iron Double and Single Bedsteads, with Woven Wire Springs and Hair Mattresses, Bedding; Cast Clothing, etc.; Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums; Pictures, Paintings, Engravings; Kitchen and Deal Furniture in variety; Wardrobes, Presses, Toilet Tables, Washstands and Ware; Pots, Pans, Saucepans, China, Glass, and Miscellaneous Effects.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE AUCTION
THIS DAY AT ELM PARK, MERRION ROAD.

WE WILL SELL BY AUCTION ON THIS DAY AND TO-MORROW

In Consequence of the DEMESNE and MANSION being Converted into a Golf and Sporting Club, (In Continuation), on the above Premises, the Entire Contents of this Residence, comprising—Very superior Collection of Antique and Modern Furniture, Iron-frame Boudoir Grand and Upright Grand Pianos; valuable Paintings, Engravings, China, Bric-a-Brac; 2 Motor Cars, Motor Combination; Billiard Table and Appointments; complete Furnishing of Bedrooms, Hall, Library, Drawingroom, Diningrooms, Kitchen, and Servants' Rooms; valuable Oil Paintings by Brocas, Constable, A. Gray, Sharpe, Beecher, and others; Water Colours, Engravings, Prints; Collection of Plated Ware, varied Collection of valuable China, including Worcester, Dresden, Etruscan, Wedgwood, Crown Derby, Copeland, etc.; Antique China Plaques, etc. About 50 Foot and numerous other Lots (as already fully advertised). On View up to hour of Sale. AUCTION THIS DAY at 12 O'CLOCK SHARP, and TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), in Continuation. ADMISSION TO SALE 1/-. Terms Cash and 5 per cent. Fees. 'Phone 2337.

McMULLAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 30 BACHELOR'S WALK.

IMPORTANT AUCTION TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY) AT 1 O'C.

AT BENNETT & CO., 18 BACHELOR'S WALK,

Comprising variety of Bedroom Suites, reproduction of Chippendale Serpentine Front Sideboard, Dining Table, and Set of Chairs (match); Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables, Mirrored-back Sideboards, Odd Wardrobes, Beds and Bedding; Bookcases, Roll-top Desk, Fireproof Safe, Office Desk, almost new; Oliver Typewriter, Office Washstand, Mirrors, Pictures, Clocks; 25 Suit Cases, and the usual Collection of good Secondhand Furniture.

F. BENNETT & CO., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
18 BACHELOR'S WALK. 'PHONE—1734.

5 HERBERT STREET.

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 19th JUNE.

AUCTION SALE of RESIDUE of SUPERIOR FURNITURE, ETC., comprising:—Turkey Carpet, 17' 6" x 10'; fine old Dublin-made 10ft. four-door Mahogany Breakfront Bookcase; 5ft. and 4ft. ditto; Nelson Mahogany Sideboard; Mahogany Cupboard; Revolving Bookcase; Adam 3-compartment Gilt Mirror; 10 Mahogany Dining Chairs; Mahogany Couches and Easy Chairs; Mahogany and Walnut Loo, Side, Half-circular and Occasional Tables; Library Steps; Typist's Oak Table; Mahogany Grandfather Clock, brass dial; Oak and Bentwood Hat Racks; Oak and Walnut Mantel and Wall Clocks; Walnut and other Mirrors; Mahogany Coal Box; Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets; Brass and Iron Double and Single Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses; Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite; 6ft. Walnut Mirror-door Wardrobe; Mahogany Wardrobe; Mahogany Enclosed Washstand; Painted Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers, Washstands, etc.; Kitchen Tables, Chairs and Utensils; Electroliers, etc. On View morning of Sale 10 till 12. Sale at 12 o'clock sharp To-morrow (Thursday) 19th June. Delivery after Sale. Purchasers to pay five per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers and Valuers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

36 TEMPLEMORE AVENUE,
RATHGAR
(OFF HIGHFIELD ROAD),

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON NEXT WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE, at 1.30, By CORRIGAN AND CO. (If not previously Sold by Private Treaty), IN SALEROOMS, 4 GRAFTON STREET.

The above Modern, Non-basement Residence, with good gardens, front and rear, and concreted paths. Room for garage; 2 sittingrooms (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), electric light and gas, lavatory, and wash basin.

Lease 493 years, subject to £7 yearly. Valuation, £26.

POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Conditions of Sale on application to E. A. KILLINGLEY, Solicitor, 22 St. Andrew street; or to

CORRIGAN & CO.,
Auctioneers,
4 GRAFTON STREET.

395 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD,
(FACING BERKELEY ROAD).

CORRIGAN and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the owner to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION on NEXT WEDNESDAY, the 25th June, at Salerooms, 4 GRAFTON STREET, the above conveniently situated two-storey Residence, containing spacious hall, stained glass door; 2 sittingrooms (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), w.c., tiled kitchen, room off, pantry, scullery, yard or small garden, coalhouse, and outside w.c.; rear entrance; small railed plot in front. Held under lease for 170 years from 1879, subject to the yearly rent of £5 5/-.

Vacant possession will be handed to purchaser. Sale takes place at 1.30 p.m. precisely.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. VINCENT and BEATTY, Solicitors, 62-3 Dame street; or to

CORRIGAN & CO.,
4 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.
'Phone 2259.

GREENOGUE, KILSALLAGHAN.

8 ACRES HEAVY THIRD CROP MEADOW
Will be LET by Auction
On FRIDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock sharp.

CRAIGIE BROS.,
37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

1. Where?
2. Of what?
3. By whom?
4. And the price?

You must answer the first question, but to-morrow's issue of the "Irish Times" will help you to answer many questions connected with

BUILDING

ANDREW J. KEOGH'S SALES.

SOUND INVESTMENT.

TWO THOROUGHLY SECURED PERPETUAL ANNUITIES OF £50 PER ANNUM EACH (£100),

Arising out of the Lands, Vergemount, Clonskeagh, on which stand the buildings of the Rathmines and Pembroke Joint Committee's Isolation Hospital, and payable by the Rathmines and Pembroke Isolation Hospital Joint Committee.

The Vendor holds the property for ever, free of rent.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, in one or two lots, at 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, on FRIDAY, 27th JUNE, at 1.30 o'clock precisely.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. HENRY MURPHY and SON, Solicitors, Diamond, Clones.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—MICHAEL DOYLE, Deceased.
SPACIOUS BUSINESS PREMISES & DWELLING,
135 UPPER DORSET STREET,

With Possession of Ground Floor and Extensive Premises at rear.

Lease, 100 years, from 1914. Head Rent, £22.

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, on FRIDAY, 27th JUNE, 1924, at 1.30 o'clock.

The Premises have a frontage to Dorset street of 21½ feet, and a depth from front to rear of 228½ feet, and comprise Residence, with six apartments, 2 kitchens (one with close range), bathroom, 2 w.c.'s, etc.; also garden, with well lighted wooden building, measuring 35 feet by 12 feet; yard, stable, and store. The two upper floors and kitchens are Let at £36 yearly. P.L.V., £25. The Business of Cork Merchant was formerly carried on in the premises, and the purchaser will be entitled to the Good-will of same.

Conditions of Sale from PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

TWO RESIDENCES IN HOWTH.

1 & 2 ST. LAWRENCE TERRACE
(Facing the Harbour),

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION OF No. 1.

No. 1 held under lease from the late Earl of Howth for 100 years from 1851, and No. 2 for 99 years from 1858, at annual rents amounting to £10 11s. 0d.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, on FRIDAY, 27th JUNE, 1924, at 1.30 o'clock.

Accommodation in each comprises—Drawingroom, diningroom, four bedrooms, bathroom, with w.c.; maid's apartment, kitchen. No. 1 is vacant, and immediate possession will be given. No. 2 is Let, Furnished, at £80 yearly. A schedule of the furniture, which will be included in the Sale, may be inspected at the Office of the Auctioneer.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. HANNAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors, 43 Dame street.

ANDREW J. KEOGH,
Auctioneer,
10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION
TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 11 O'CLOCK.
GANLY, SONS & CO.
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN

OVIDSTOWN, STRAFFAN.

COMPACT RESIDENTIAL FARM, containing 137a. 0r. 37p., Statute Measure; ANNUITY £89 5s. 8d. Poor Law Valuation £113. Situate 4 miles from Sallins, Straffan and Maynooth, 6 miles from Naas, 14 miles from Dublin. There are about 8 acres under tillage; the remainder under grass and some meadow.

Above will be offered FOR SALE BY AUCTION, in our SALEROOMS, USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN, on

WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE.
At One O'Clock.

Full particulars on application to Messrs. NOONEY and DOWDALL, Solicitors, Mullingar; or

GANLY, SONS & CO.,
Auctioneers and Cattle Salesmen,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

JEWELLERY, DIAMONDS, ETC.

THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, at 6 o'clock, IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

HIGHLY-ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION FROM
KELLY'S
GREAT CENTRAL MONEY OFFICE,
48 FLEET STREET,

Comprising Gold, Silver and Filled-Case Watches, Single-Stone Diamond Brooches and Pins, Half-Hoop and 3-Stone Diamond, and Diamond and other Gem-Set Rings, Gold Coin, Flexible and Curb Bracelets, Bangles, Alberts, Brooches, Pendants, etc.; Silver, Old Sheffield and Electro-Plated Ware, comprising 3 Centre Pieces, Old Sheffield Salver, Tea Pot, Eggery, Kettle, Lamp and Stand, Mirror, Plaque, etc. Sale 6 o'clock.

THOMAS GARLAND,
Auctioneer and Valuer, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.

THE BEST WEEK-END PAPER FOR DUBLIN People is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Last Edition on Sale every Saturday Morning. Price Twopence.

ON VIEW TO-DAY. SALE TO-MORROW, 12 NOON.

GAINSBORO' HOUSE SALEROOMS.

WM. MONTGOMERY and SON will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises as above, on TO-MORROW, 19th INST.:—A SUPERIOR COLLECTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, comprising—Boudoir Grand and Upright Pianos, Cabinet Gramophone in mahogany case, and Records; Harp, by Erard; Sheraton Secretaire and Bookcase; Gent.'s Sheraton Wardrobe, Sideboard, in mahogany and walnut; Sets Dining Chairs, in mahogany and oak; Chesterfield Suite, Dining and Occasional Tables, Bookcases, fine Georgian Hall Table, Pair Giltwood Recess Mirrors, Console Tables, Card and Curio Tables, Easy Chairs, Overmantels, Bedroom Suites, Wardrobes, Chests Drawers, Secretaires, Grandfather, Ormolu and Marble Case Clocks; Hall Furniture; All-Brass Bedsteads and Bedding; Brass Fenders, Coal Vases, Fire Irons; large Collection of Mahogany Office Furniture, Underwood Typewriters, National Cash Register; quantity Books, Novels, etc.; Engravings and Prints; Axminster Stair and Floor Carpets, Rugs; House and Table Linen, Plated Ware, Table Glass and China, Kitchen and Culinary Utensils, Miscellaneous Effects.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees. PIANOS, HARP and GRAMOPHONE WILL BE SOLD AT TWO O'CLOCK SHARP.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A.,
24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
RE W. K. CAHILL, BANKRUPT, 53 CASIMIR ROAD, KENILWORTH PARK, HAROLD'S CROSS, DUBLIN.

WM. MONTGOMERY and SON are instructed to SELL (pursuant to an Order of the Court) BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Gainsboro' House Salerooms, on MONDAY, 23rd JUNE, 1924, at 1 p.m., the above Semi-detached Non-basement Residence, with possession. Accommodation comprises 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, bath (h. and c.); garden front and rear, side entrance; gas and gas oven. Held under lease for a term of 890 years from 1st May, 1918, subject to £5 10/- per annum. P.L. Valuation £22. Seen by appointment only. Conditions of Sale from VALENTINE E. KIRWAN, Esq., Solicitor, 13 Suffolk street; A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Esq., Official Assignee; or from the AUCTIONEERS.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

B. & Co. "DANES HOLLOW," BAILY, HOWTH. JUNE 19

ON VIEW THIS DAY. SALE TO-MORROW, 11.30 O'C.

BATTERSBY & CO., HAVING SOLD THE RESIDENCE, are further favoured with instructions TO SELL BY AUCTION on the premises on the above date, the FURNITURE & EFFECTS, comprising as follows:—Inlaid mahogany china cabinet, do. small display cabinet, occasional tables, easy chairs in tapestry, Chippendale mahogany set of dining chairs, do. corner table, walnut chairs, oak cabinet sideboard, open bookcases, small cupboards, Axminster carpets, all brass floor lamp, brass and iron bedsteads and bedding, inlaid mahogany bedroom suite, satin walnut and bamboo ditto, ash, walnut and painted chests of drawers, oak frame cheval mirror, Bentwood and cane seat chairs, Anthracite stove, oil stove, Valor Perfection cooking stove, kitchen furniture and utensils, glass and china, etc. On view day previous, 10 to 4 o'c. Sale 11.30 o'c. Terms, cash and 5% fees.

B. & Co. 56 PALMERSTON ROAD. JUNE 20

FRIDAY NEXT, JUNE 20TH, 12 O'CLOCK.

WE have been instructed TO SELL BY AUCTION on the premises on the above date the ENTIRE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS as follows:—Mahogany telescopic dining table, do. pillar and claw do., do. glass door bookcase, antique mahogany falling leaf table, diningroom chairs in leather, Chesterfield sofa, inlaid walnut mirror door cabinet, gilt mantel mirrors and side mirrors, Axminster carpet and stair carpet, pictures and old china, bedsteads and bedding, Gent's antique mahogany wardrobe, ditto chests of drawers, toilet tables and glasses, walnut mirror door wardrobe, kitchen furniture and utensils, ironstone dinner service, best quality table glass and china. On view morning of Sale 10 to 12 o'c. Sale 12 o'c. Terms cash and 5% fees.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.
'PHONES 48 AND 49. ESTABLISHED 1815.

FURNITURE AUCTION.

THURSDAY, 19TH JUNE, 1924.

COMMENCE 12 A.M., PROMPT.

WE are instructed to SELL THE WHOLE OF A VERY EXCELLENT COLLECTION OF HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, at OUR SALEROOMS, ORMOND AUCTION ROOMS, 5 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, comprising—Sheraton Bow-shaped Sideboard, Antique Chippendale Wardrobe; Paintings, Chippendale Bureau (brass handles), Bookcases, in mahogany; Bedroom Suites, in satinwood and mahogany; Rosewood Piano, in perfect order (by Hopkins, London); 7-Piece Drawingroom Suite) covered in pegamoid (drop-end settee); China Cabinets, Mahogany Sideboards, 9-Piece Mahogany Diningroom Suite, in hair-cloth; Tapestry Suites, Chairs, Tables, Beds, Carpets, China, and Kitchen Utensils.

ON VIEW TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), 18th, ALL DAY.

ORMOND AUCTION ROOMS,
'PHONE 4533. No. 5 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

ON VIEW TO-DAY.

SYLVAN PARK HOUSE, KELLS, CO. MEATH
(THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE MRS. STANDISH O'GRADY ROWLEY),
ON TO-MORROW, 19TH JUNE, 1924, AND TWO FOLLOWING DAYS,
COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON ON EACH DAY,
THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE MANSION.

Comprising: The antique and modern Furniture in the hall, 4 reception and 7 bed rooms, Old Porcelain and China, Oil Paintings and Engravings, Coloured Prints, Outdoor Effects, Farming Implements and Cattle, as detailed in previous Advertisements and in Catalogues, which can now be obtained from the Auctioneers, price 2/- each, to admit two persons to View and Sale. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

600 STORE CATTLE,
AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
ON TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),
Commencing at 12 o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.

COUNTY DUBLIN.

We have been instructed by Mrs. Giltrap,
TO LET BY AUCTION,
10 Acres Prime First Crop Meadow,
At Glenwood, Lucan,
ON MONDAY 30th JUNE,
At 12 o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY),
23 LEESON PARK AVENUE,
OFF APPIAN WAY, DONNYBROOK.

NICELY SITUATED CORNER HOUSE, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), pantry, etc., electric light and gas stove; front and rear plots, with room for garage if required. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, With clear Possession, on the Premises, TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), at 2 p.m.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from W. J. M. COULTER, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 200 Great Brunswick street, Dublin; or

EDWARD F. HARRIS,
Auctioneer, etc.,
DELGANY, COUNTY WICKLOW.
'Phone—Greystones 43.
Or 200 GREAT BRUNSWICK STREET, DUBLIN.

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PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

A FEW PERMANENT OFFICES TO LET, electric light, central heating; telephone and attendance free; terms moderate. THE OLYMPIA STOCK ROOMS, SYCAMORE ST. (off Dame st.). 17 E

BUSINESS PREMISES.

CENTRAL Shop and large Basement to Let. Apply 11-12 St. Andrew street. T

FOR Sale in good business locality, North side, Premises, two workshops, office and yard; electric light. Apply J. J. Goulding, Solicitor, 14 Upper Ormond quay, Dublin. 15 D

GARAGE, Let, 5/-, concrete, water, close Kenilworth square; private.—Q 1080, this office. 13 C

NASSAU street—Two Sets Offices, 2 and 3 front rooms; newly decorated.—Q 1110, this office. 13 C

OFFICES, Central, to Let. Apply 11-12 St. Andrew street. T

OFFICES—To Let, First Floor, 29 Mary street; electric and gas; moderate rent. Seen Mr. Brownstein, on third floor. 13 D

OFFICES to Let, first floor, 9 Eustace street. Apply Thompson, D'Olier, and Co. 16 E

OFFICES to Let, 23 Molesworth street, corner of Kildare street.—A. Swan. 17 F

POSSESSION, 29 North Brunswick street, newly built Shop and House, also spacious Yard at rear; double gate entrance, 4 living apartments, w.c., electric light; new sewerage; ground rent £20, but indemnified against one moiety of same; lease 99 years from 1923.—MacArthurs' Auction, Friday, 27th June. 16 E

PREMISES in Camden street for Sale; possession. Apply R. H. Commins, Bachelor's Walk. 17 F

SHOP and Dwelling, Wellington quay, for Sale, with possession; long lease.—45 Molesworth street, Dublin. 13 C

SHOP and House, busy city thoroughfare, £1,250. Particulars, Etchingham and Co., Lower Pembroke street. 13 C

SPLENDID Camping Sites at Sutton, beside railway station and tram line; 5/- weekly.—Q 1386, this office. 16 E

TO Garage proprietors or others requiring large space, Thompson's Garage, 18, 19 and 20 Great Brunswick street and 162 to 169 Townsend street, will be Sold by Auction on Thursday, 26th June. Can be inspected at any time.—Dockrell Limited, Auctioneers, Dublin. D

TENNIS Court to Let, beside Glenageary Station. Apply 7 Claremont Villas, Glenageary.

TO Let, on long lease, or Sell, with immediate possession, well fitted Shop, Basement, and good Dwellinghouse, in busiest city centre (two doors from Henry street); suit any business. Call between 11 and 1 o'clock, 61 Moore street.

WILLIAM street—Two Sets Offices, two and three Rooms, newly done up. Terms, apply Battersby and Co., 39 Westmoreland street. 11 C

WANTED, Motor Garage, vicinity of Belgrave road, Rathmines; state terms.—Q 1384, this office. 16 C

WANTED, Offices, central, one or two rooms; moderate.—Q 1450, this office.

STABLING AND GRAZING.

FOR Horse Show or Tailteann Games—4 Loose Boxes and Garage to Let. Address "Z 4123, Stabling," this office. 13 C

GRAZING for a few Horses, 6/- weekly.—Webb, 45 Brighton square, Rathgar. 13 C

GRAZING, on fine run, excellent water and shelter; horses 5/-, cattle 2/- per week.—Q 1130, this office. 13 C

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AT Rathgar—Excellent House, 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, etc.; electric light, good garden; low head rent; possession; £1,250.—Q 1136, this office. 13 C

A BEAUTIFUL little Residence, together with a pleasure and profitable Farm, 15 acres, trained modern fruit trees (fruit can be sold on trees); 42 acres in all; centrally situated near Waterford. Address "Z 3812, House," this office. 14 D

A BARGAIN—Beautiful little Property, sixty acres, fine house, out-buildings, gardens, orchard, Leinster, free all rent for ever; half purchase money can remain. Q 1286, this office. 16 C

AUCTION 27th, Templecarrig, Lower Greystones (Hanlon), 8 acres, 5 roomed detached Cottage.—Arthur Jones, Son, Greystones. 13 C

A BEAUTIFULLY situated six roomed House, with basement, free of rent, Southern town, £550; immediate possession. Address "Z 4209, House," this office. 16 E

BRAY (6 miles)—Bungalow, 6 rooms, on half acre; ideal surroundings; cheap.—Kinsella and Fitzgibbon, Auctioneers. 13 C

BALLSBRIDGE (Possession)—Compact House, 3 bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, h. and c. water, w.c., garden front and rear; long lease. Apply Q 1214, this office. 14 D

CHARMING House, Iona road, beautifully decorated; vacant possession. Keys, Kelly, 71 Iona road. 17 F

DRUMCONDRA vicinity—Neat Cottage Residence, 4 apartments, bow window, good garden; possession. Keys with MacArthurs, 79 Talbot street. 16 E

FOR Sale, handsome detached Residence, Monkstown, beautifully situated, perfect condition, bargain. Particulars, Boag, House Agent, 24 Main street, Blackrock. 13 C

FOR Sale, House constructed into self contained Flats, income £200 above outlay; purchaser could reside in one flat, £800. Apply Q 1203, this office. 14 D

FOR Sale, good substantial House, 11 rooms, bath, electric light, in private street, centrally located; very low head rent, long lease; suitable for private hotel or doctor's residence; a bargain for cash. Apply Conlon, Neary's Hotel, 77 Parnell street, Dublin. 'Phone 2192. 16 F

FOR Sale, five roomed Bungalow, new; seaside, convenient city; possession; cheap. Address "Z 4229, Bungalow," this office. 17 D

FOR Sale, with possession, five roomed House in Rathgar. Apply W. Lowry, 51 Highfield road, Rathgar. 17 F

FOR Sale, two Tenement Houses, cheap. Apply R. H. Commins, Solicitor, Bachelor's Walk. 17 F

FOR Sale, with possession, a choice detached Residence, Ranelagh. Apply R. H. Commins, Solicitor, Bachelor's Walk. 17 F

FOR Sale, Yard, Stabling, and Cottage; vacant possession. Apply to R. H. Commins, Solicitor, Bachelor's Walk. 17 F

HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

GOOD House, vacant possession; price £950. Inquiries and key.—1 Park Villas, Stillorgan Park, Blackrock. 13 C

GROUND Rent of £6 4/3, payable out of 14 Mountbrown.—MacArthur's Auction, Friday, 27th June. 16 E

GLASNEVIN vicinity—Substantially built Residence (possession), price £1,250. Orders to view from MacArthurs. 16 E

GROUND Rents, amounting to £28 13/11, payable out of 35, 36, 37, 38, 38a Summerhill (thoroughly secured).—MacArthurs' Auction, Friday, 27th June. 16 E

HOWTH—Cottage style House, £500; Sutton, £950, £1,000, £1,250, £1,350. Particulars, Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke street. 13 C

HADDON road, Clontarf (possession), price £1,100, good House, every accommodation. Orders to view from MacArthurs. 16 E

HERBERTVILLE, 17 Victoria avenue, Donnybrook (vacant possession), 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, bath (h. and c.), maid's room, garden front and rear, pantry, scullery, gas, electric light; ground rent £5; lease 150 years.—MacArthurs' Auction, Friday, 27th June. 16 E

HOUSE for Sale, Villiers road, Rathgar; 7 rooms, bath (h. and c.).—Q 1337, this office. 16 D

KINGSTOWN—For Sale, compact House, sea front.—H 116, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 13 C

KENILWORTH Square—Lovely large House, beautifully decorated; immediate possession; £1,300.—Kelly, 71 Iona road. 17 D

LISIEUX, Dartry road, choice position, beautiful outlook, non basement, semi detached modern House, for Auction Thursday, 26th June.—Dockrell Limited, Auctioneers, Dublin. D

MAGENTA, Dundrum, detached, one storey Cottage, within five minutes' walk of station; good garden, for Auction Thursday, 26th June.—Dockrell Limited, Auctioneers, Dublin. D

NEWLY Built Houses, £725; open view front and rear; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, h. and c. water, electric light, gas; lease 999 years; ground rent £6; Upper Cherryfield avenue, Sandford road, Dublin. Apply Bailey, Cherryfield House (opposite). 13 X

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